"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER

Rain or sleet on the Coast today and probably tomorrow; brisk east gales.

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MORGAN SILENT ON LABOR PROBLEMS

Supposes $10 Enough for Longshoreman "If That's All He Can Get and He Takes It."

OPINIONS ON BANKING ONLY

Industrial Commission Asks Him in Vain About Hours, Pay, and Unequal Wealth.

MITCHELL UPHOLDS UNIONS

Miners' Ex-President Calls Rockefeller Plan to Hear Colorado Grievances "Absurd."

J. Pierpont Morgan testified before the United States Industrial Relations Committee for just three-quarters of an hour yesterday, and in that time he proved so unresponsive to the questions regarding sociology, the rights of laboring men, labor unions, and the causes of industrial unrest that the members of the committee gladly let him depart with the remark:

"You are permanently excused, Mr. Morgan."

Mr. Morgan was terse in his replies and plainly let it be known that it was a waste of time to heckle him on any subject except that in which he was directly concerned, banking. Several times he made the large audience of social reformers, I. W. W. sympathizers, and the ordinary curiosity seekers gasp by nonchalantly admitting, with an engaging laugh, that he knew nothing whatever about how long employes should labor, at what age children should go to work, or the relations between capital and labor.

When, in sheer desperation, one of the Commissioners tried to get Mr. Morgan's opinion regarding the unequal distribution of wealth or to what extent poverty exists and its cause, the financier frankly admitted that he had no opinions on the question whatever.

Mr. Morgan told at length of the various corporations in which he was a Director, and how the responsibility of those corporations was divided between the Directors and the officers. He readily answered all questions relating to the duties of these men.

Morgan Waits Half an Hour.

Before he took the stand, Mr. Morgan was kept waiting half an hour until John Mitchell, former President of the United Mine Workers of America, completed his testimony regarding mining conditions in the anthracite regions of Pennsylvania and in other parts of the country. The commission held its session in the assembly room of the Metropolitan Building, 1 Madison Avenue, and the large hall was crowded.

A list of questions such as had been sent to some other witnesses before they appeared had not been sent to Mr. Morgan. When he took the stand he was asked to name the corporations in which he was a Director. He named five, which included the United States Steel Corporation, the International Mercantile Marine, the Pullman Company, and the Northern Pacific Railway. He said he had been a Director in the Western Union Telegraph Company, but was not now. He also had at present an interest in or represented clients in between twenty-five and fifty railroads. Asked how many men the Northern Pacific employed, the witness said he hadn't an idea. Neither did he know how many men the other corporations employed, although he thought the United States Steel Corporation gave work to about 170,000.

The witness said that as Director of these various companies he received reports on the financial condition of the property and that as a member of the Executive Committees of some of them he knew that the Directors received reports from officers on financial matters and general conditions. The Directors, he said, received no reports on labor conditions, except those contained in annual reports.

The International Mercantile Marine, Mr. Morgan said, had a monthly meeting for Directors and a weekly meeting for the Executive Committee. He attended probably ten of the monthly meetings last year and as many of the weekly meetings as possible. He also attended about as many meetings of the Steel Corporation. Between meetings, he said, the Directors got together whenever necessary and discussed matters with the officers.

Visited Some Plants.

Asked if he had visited the various plants regularly, the witness replied that he had visited some of them. He said he had not inspected any of the factories or railroads in 1914 and couldn't remember inspecting any in 1913, but in the last five years he had inspected the Gary plants of the Steel Corporation, the Edgar works, the tube works at Pittsburgh, and some others, and had been on the ships of the Mercantile Marine.

"How far do you think stockholders and Directors are responsible for labor conditions?" asked Chairman Walsh.

"I don't think stockholders have any responsibility in that matter," replied Mr. Morgan.

"How about Directors?"

"None at all."

"Who is responsible?"

"The officers, the executive officials, or people whom they appoint to take charge of the plants. The officers are responsible, as they have to see that those they appoint carry out their instructions."

The Directors, the witness said, had no authority so far as labor was concerned. Asked if he did not think labor reports were as necessary as financial reports, the witness said it was not necessary, because constant changes did

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BOY NOW HAS $4,969,789.

Hunt Tilford Dickinson's Trustee Gains Nearly a Million for Him.

The $4,000,000 left in trust by Wesley Hunt Tilford, Vice President of the Standard Oil Company, when he died, March 2, 1909, for his grand nephew, Hunt Tilford Dickinson, now 14 years old, has grown to $4,969,789, according to an accounting filed in the Surrogates' Court yesterday by Henry M. Tilford, brother of the decedent.

Mr. Tilford allowed his grand nephew $8,600 for maintenance and education, in 1914. The trustee has discretionary power to allot the amounts necessary for the beneficiary's support and education until he is 21, when he gets the income. At 35 years, he comes into the principal.

Among the assets are Standard Oil stock amounting to more than $1,000,000; 9,000 shares of Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, preferred stock, valued at $1,125,000; 2,000 shares of common stock of the same road, $172,000; 500 shares of National City Bank stock, $169,000; 1,500 shares of General Chemical stock, $156,000; New York City bonds, $142,000; 1,300 shares of the Childs Company, preferred stock, $127,400 and Union Pacific Railroad preferred stock, $108,128.

GOES BOATING IN HIS BUGGY.

Driver, Caught by Flooded Raritan River, Is Finally Treed.

Special to The New York Times.

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Feb. 1.—Alexander Pyatt of this town started to drive to Sunnyside this afternoon and found the road and fields near the bridge over the Raritan River inundated, the rain having swollen the river many feet above its banks. Pyatt essayed the passage, but presently found himself swept off the road.

His horse began to swim and the buggy floated along behind. Pyatt managed to set the horse free, but the animal upset the buggy and the driver was tossed into the river himself. He was swept against a tree into which he climbed and perched amid the upper branches. It was a long time before he was discovered, and then residents of the town got boats and ropes and put out to his rescue.

It was dark before the rescue work began, and the river, steadily rising, made navigation next to impossible. Late tonight many of the rescuers abandoned the effort for the night, and, though others remained at the task, it seemed likely that Pyatt would spend the rest of the night in his tree.

SENATOR WAGNER ROBBED.

Burglar Takes Watch, Pin, and $153 from Clothing in His Room.

State Senator Robert F. Wagner was robbed of his gold watch, a diamond scarfpin and $153 by a burglar who pried open a kitchen window yesterday morning while the Senator's family were asleep in their apartment at 244 East Eighty-sixth Street.

In getting out of the room the burglar upset a chair, and awakened Mr. and Mrs. Wagner, but he got through the window and dropped to the ground from the fire escape before the Senator could reach him.

Lieut. McMullen of Police Headquarters, and his family, were asleep in the apartment above the Wagners.

AMERICANS KAISER MUST CUT

Dr. Darmstaedter Warns Against Vanderbilts, Armours, and Carnegies

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Feb. 2.—The Daily Mail says that Dr. Darmstaedter of Cleveland, Ohio, has been lecturing before Berlin audiences on the attitude of the United States to the war. Incidentally he has been telling the Kaiser what Americans he must never consort with again.

"I hope," he said, "that after the experiences the Kaiser and the German people have had people in Germany will cease to run after the American gentlemen—the Vanderbilts, Armours, Carnegies, the Harvard University professors, and all the others who have proved themselves so ungrateful."

The Daily Mail observes:

"The worthy doctor does not see that he rather exposes the object of that lickspittle treatment of prominent American visitors by the Kaiser at which Americans themselves have only grinned. The Kaiser's was 'cupboard love' at best."

Special to The New York Times.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 1.—No Dr. Darmstaedter is known in this city.

BROKER TO HEAD POLICE.

Donald C. Appenzeller Made a Commissioner in New Rochelle.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Mayor Griffing today appointed Donald C. Appenzeller of 72 Liberty Avenue a Police Commissioner for three years. He is a Republican and succeeds George G. Galgaro.

Mr. Appenzeller is manager of the stock department of Swartout & Appenzeller of 44 Pine Street, New York. He was for nine years a reporter in New York. For five years he followed New York police conditions and went to Europe to study police systems.

CANADA TO PAY $15,000.

Agrees on Damages for Shooting of American Duck Hunters.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Under an agreement reached tonight the Canadian Government will settle claims growing out of the recent shooting of two American duck hunters by Canadian militiamen.

Canada will pay $10,000 to the parents of Walter Smith, who was killed, and $5,000 to Charles Dorsech, who was wounded, in addition to all legal expenses.

2½ INCHES OF RAIN.

Rain or Sleet Again Likely Today and Tomorrow.

Between the time the snow changed to rain on Sunday afternoon and 10:30 o'clock last night more than 2½ inches of rain had fallen. Monday was a misfit Feb. 1, for the lowest temperature recorded was 32 degrees and the highest 42.

Early in the afternoon it became so dark that river craft lit their running lights and lights flashed out in every tall office building.

The forecast is for rain or sleet today and probably tomorrow.

Palm Beach — Additional Compartment drawing-room cars added to SEABOARD FLORIDA LIMITED 2:08 P.M. for February. Apply quickly 1184 B'way. Phone 5644 Mad. Sq. —Advt.

WILL CUT BOARD ON COMPENSATION

Republican Leaders Propose a Commission of Three Members to Reduce Expenses.

TO RUSH BILL THROUGH

Plan Said to Have Gov. Whitman's Indorsement—Emergency Appropriation Planned for Present Board.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—Reorganization of the Workmen's Compensation Commission along radical lines will be provided for in a bill which will be introduced before the legislative week ends. The proposed legislation would reduce the number of Commissioners from five to three and cut the working staff of the department in two.

Gov. Whitman has been approached on the subject, and some of the legislative leaders assert that he has given his approval to "remedial" legislation of this character. The chief aim of the Republican leaders, of course, is to get the jobs, but they will go about this under a plea that the depleted finances of the State justify the liberal use of the axe even with regard to a department which ostensibly was created for the special benefit of the workingmen of the State.

The machinery of the reorganized Compensation Commission will be so adjusted that under no circumstances will the demands of the department on the State Treasury exceed $300,000 a year. The men who hold the pursestrings of the State at Albany read with feelings of mingled anger and amusement the assertion of Chairman Dowling that nothing less than $750,000 a year would be enough for the efficient administration of the law. In order to simplify the machinery of the commission and reduce the cost of maintenance the Compensation Commissioners under the amended law will confine themselves strictly to the adjudication of disputed claims.

An even more radical proposal has been made, for in some quarters the abolition of the new department has been advocated. This plan, however, was frowned upon by the legislative leaders, who feared that the wiping out of the commission might arouse the anger of labor.

"The present commission is trying to do too much," said Senator Brown tonight. "We will divest it of some of its useless duties. The expense for running the department, too, is too high. At the rate the present commission has been maintained—mahogany furniture, $9 ink wells, and all that—it would cost $1,000,000 a year to keep it going. The commission will be continued—the underlying principle we all recognize as good—but not at any such expense. You may say that this legislation will be hurried along at top speed in the interest of economy and, perhaps, of efficiency."

The Committee on Finance in the Senate and the Ways and Means Commitee of the Assembly will give a hearing tomorrow to the commissioners for the purpose of determining the justice of their demand for $60,000 a month to run their department. Senator Brown tonight expressed the opinion that in no event would more than $40,000 a month be granted, and that only for a month or so until the reorganization plan could be put through.

The bills passed by the Assembly last week, providing for the abolition of the Fire Marshal's Bureau and the Department of Efficiency and Economy will be passed by the Senate this week if that body carries out the plans of the leaders.

The Senate tonight received the nominations of Samuel H. Ordway, Willard D. McKinstry, and Col. William Gorham Rice for Civil Service Commissioners. The nominations were referred to the Committee on Finance, but undoubtedly will be confirmed before the week is over. Senator Wagner introduced a bill tonight requiring the Adjutant General to make all appointments after May 15 from civil service lists.

Senator Lawson presented a bill intended to authorize the Governor to name a commission consisting of three lawyers, two laymen, and two physicians to investigate vivisection and make a report.

Assemblyman William S. Evans, Democrat of the Bronx, tonight introduced a resolution providing for the appointment of a joint Legislative Committee for the investigation of the administration of Civil Service laws throughout the State.

The sum of $5,000 is appropriated for the expenses of an investigation of the duplication of building and factory inspection by officials of the State and of New York City, by a resolution introduced tonight by Assemblyman Feinberg. The resolution was referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

By the terms of another bill introduced by Assemblyman Feinberg, the New York City School Board of forty-six members would be replaced by a single commissioner at a salary of $15,000 and five deputies. Only graduates of colleges would in the future be admitted to the teaching force. The principle of equal pay for men and women teachers is prescribed.

ABRIDGE COMPENSATION WORK

Only the Offices Here and in Albany Remain Open.

The nine branch offices of the Workmen's Compensation Commission, in accordance with the order issued on Saturday by Robert E. Dowling, Chairman of the commission, were not opened for business yesterday. Mr. Dowling issued his order when he found that the funds provided for the maintenance of the commission had been exhausted and that the Legislature, pending the settlement of a dispute over the amount of the appropriation to be allowed the commission, had not made provision for the emergency. The offices would be kept closed, Mr. Dowling said, until action by the Legislature warranted their reopening.

Four of the branch offices are in New York City and the others are in Poughkeepsie, Albany, Syracuse, Rochester, and Buffalo

The main office of the commission in Albany and the office in the Metropolitan Tower here, where most of the business of the commission is carried on, were open as usual yesterday and will not be closed.

If the Legislature limits its allowance to the commission to $40,000 a month, which, through the Chairman of its Finance Committee, it has signified an intention of doing, about one-third of the commission's employes will have to be dropped and the salaries of the remainder reduced from 10 to 30 per cent., in the opinion of Mr. Dowling.

The appropriation question will be discussed in Albany this afternoon at a meeting of the Finance Committee of

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Jean Finot on "The Anglo-French People"

Noted French writer, in one of the most striking articles produced since the war began, declares that the English are more closely akin in every way to the French than to the Germans. Read his arguments

IN NEXT SUNDAY'S TIMES.

RE-ELECT CHURCHILL SCHOOL BOARD HEAD

City Education Director Defeats Greene on the First Ballot, 26 Votes to 18.

SOMERS VICE PRESIDENT

President Conciliatory in Speech of Acceptance—May Announce Committees Before Next Meeting.

On the first ballot at the meeting of the Board of Education yesterday afternoon Thomas W. Churchill was re-elected President by 26 votes to 18 cast for John Greene, who for years has been the Vice President of the board and Chairman of its Committee on Finance. William G Willcox, who nominated Mr. Greene, received himself one vote for the office.

Forty-five of the forty-six members of the board were present. The only absentee was Miss Olivia Leventritt. Secretary Palmer called the meeting to order.

Alrick H. Man of Richmond Hill, L. I., Chairman of the Executive Committee of Hunter College, and a strong supporter of the Churchill administration, was chosen Temporary President without opposition. George J. Gillespie, Chairman of the Committee on Elementary Schools, made the nominating speech for Mr. Churchill, who, he said, typified the man best suited to be President of the board. He said he had known Mr. Churchill from early boyhood, and told how Mr. Churchill had been graduated, first from the public schools, then from the City College, and thereafter had been a public school teacher for fourteen years. He spoke of Mr. Churchill as a diligent, faithful, earnest, and vigorous officer devoting his utmost efforts for the best interests of the public school system. Today, as never before, he said, there was a tendency to harmonious action in the board, and a spirit of co-operation.

Willcox Nominates Greene.

Mr. Willcox, in nominating Mr. Greene, asserted that personally he admired Mr. Churchill, but he had not found existent the spirit of co-operation as described by Mr. Gillespie. In view of the question whether the board should be a small body or not, he thought, he said, that Mr. Greene was the more fitting candidate, whose popularity and kindly way of conducting things, would bring about real harmony in the board. Robert L. Harrison, who was the unsuccessful candidate against Mr. Churchill last February, said that he had known Mr. Greene ever since they became members of the board in 1902, and that Mr. Greene was just the kind of man needed for President.

Gen. George W. Wingate, who a year ago signed a protest against Mr. Churchill's re-election, and was one of the twelve members who cast votes for Mr. Harrison, said that he was now of a different mind and was in hearty favor of Mr. Churchill.

Frank D. Wilsey of the Bronx and Rupert B. Thomas of Queens also seconded Mr. Churchill's nomination.

On the First Ballot.

Neither of the candidates spoke, nor did Mr. Winthrop, Mr. Flexner, or Dr. Wile, though it was expected they would. The vote was by ballot. It took twenty-four votes to elect. When the result was announced, Mr. Greene promptly moved that Mr. Churchill's election be made unanimous.

Messrs. Gillespie and Thomas were appointed to escort Mr. Churchill to the chair. As the last-named passed Mr. Greene's desk he put out his hand, and his opponent grasped it in a friendly manner. Mr. Churchill's speech of acceptance was brief and conciliatory. He began it with a quotation from "Hamlet":

"Ladies and gentlemen," he said. "'Beggar that I am, I am even poor in thanks, but I thank you.' I intend at the next meeting to give expression to my views on some of the permanent issues before this board. I desire harmony and will try to achieve it, and I hope that all our efforts will be for the uplift and benefit of the public school system."

William Harkness of Brooklyn, one of the oldest in experience of the members of the board, nominated Arthur S. Somers, Chairman of the Committee on High and Training Schools, to succeed John Greene as Vice President. There was no other candidate and Mr. Somers was elected unanimously.

President Churchill will announce his new committee nominations either before or at the next meeting.

DUCHESS IN SANITARIUM.

Father's Death Forces Duchess of Manchester to Seek Rest.

Special to The New York Times.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich, Feb. 1.—The Duchess of Manchester arrived in Battle Creek tonight to be under the care of physicians in a local sanitarium for a period of rest and recuperation. She is suffering from a severe nervous strain caused by the death of her father, Eugene Zimmermann of Cincinnati, and the legal engagements involved in settling his estate.

Under the provisions of the will she was named as an executrix, but is prevented from serving in that capacity because she is a British subject.

The Duchess, who registered from London, will return to England as soon as her father's estate is settled. She reached Battle Creek extremely worn and retired at once to her rooms.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 1.—Attorney John E. Bruce, one of the administrators of the Zimmerman estate, said tonight that the Duchess of Manchester had gone to Battle Creek Sanitarium to get rest, as she was worn out by her hurried trip from England and the excitement incident to her father's death.

CROSS TO BERNSTORFF'S SON

Kaiser Also Confers It Upon the Head of the Krupp Works.

BERLIN, (via London,) Tuesday, Feb. 2.—Emperor William has personally conferred the Iron Cross, first class, on Dr. Gustave Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, head of the Krupp Iron Works.

The Iron Cross also has been conferred on Count Gunter von Bernstorff, son of the German Ambassador to the United States.

Deerfoot Farm Sausages. Made of the tender meat of little pigs and choice spices. You have never tasted perfect sausage unless you have tried them. New York store, 173 Chambers Street. Tel. 3982 Cort[illegible]—Advt.

CHECKED EXPLOSIVE IN HUDSON TERMINAL

Enough Nitroglycerine to Blow Up a Block Left There by a Yeggman on Jan. 19.

CLERK TOSSED IT ABOUT

And Detectives, Not Knowing Contents of Bag, Swung It Carelessly While Going Through Streets.

Detectives took from the checkroom of the Hudson Terminal yesterday a man's bag in which was enough nitroglycerine, they say, to have blown up several buildings the size of the Terminal Building. It had lain on a shelf since Jan. 19, and the clerk who delivered it yesterday tossed the bag on the counter. The detectives swung it carelessly all the way back to Police Headquarters, and discovered the explosive when they opened it there.

There were a pint whisky flask of brown glass half filled with the stuff and another bottle in which was half an ounce of the liquid. There were a loaded revolver, an ammonia pistol, fifty feet of fuse, and fifty percussion caps besides; also a copy of The Philadelphia Evening Bulletin of Jan. 19.

The bag belonged to a man who said he was William Anson, living at 221 West Forty-first Street, but who, the police say, is William McCoy, a famous "yeggman," also known as "St. Louis Billy." He was arrested late yesterday afternoon in Forty-first Street, between Sixth Avenue and Broadway, where Detectives Herman, White, and Dowling found him in an altercation with a man and a woman. The others escaped when the detectives grabbed Anson. According to them, he told them:

"You'd better let me go. You haven't got anything on me in this State and I've got enough money to make you all wealthy."

They found the baggage check in his pocket when they reached Police Headquarters. Anson wouldn't say what had taken him to Philadelphia. He had maps of Delaware and Maryland and several Pennsylvania Railroad timetables.

The police say Anson has served eight years in Atlanta Prison for robbing Post Offices in New Jersey, and Post Office Inspector Jacobs, who was notified of his arrest last night, said that the Post Office authorities wanted him for a robbery at Amenia, Dutchess County, last Summer.

FRANK CASE ADVANCED.

Supreme Court Will Hear Arguments on Appeal on Feb. 23.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The Supreme Court today, in response to a petition from counsel for Leo M. Frank, under sentence of death for the murder of a factory girl in Atlanta in 1913, advanced hearing on his case to Feb. 23. The State of Georgia has assented to this arrangement.

The case as it reaches the Supreme Court is on appeal from the refusal of the District Court in Georgia to grant to Frank a writ of habeas corpus. In the coming proceedings the Supreme Court will hear that on the advice of the trial judge, not only Frank but also his counsel was absent from the court room when the verdict of guilty was rendered, and how a mob in the adjoining street threatened both prisoner and jury. The court will decide whether these circumstances denied the prisoner the "due process of law" guaranteed him by the Federal Constitution.

DEAD LINE FOR BOOKMAKERS

Can't Go Above 42d Street, Inspector Dwyer Tells Them in Raid.

Police Inspector Dwyer, who has made a poolroom raid every other day since Jan. 1, armed eight of his men with sledges and axes yesterday and cut his way through the doors of a house in West Sixtieth Street, between Broadway and Columbus Avenue, where he arrested two of twenty-five men and locked them up in the West Sixty-eighth Street station on the charge of accepting racing wagers.

When the police attacked the door a youth was seen to dash for a nearby telephone booth on Broadway, who, Dwyer surmised, intended to warn those in the house. But Dwyer had prepared for that by sending a policeman to the roof to cut the telephone wire. Bundles of racing sheets and three gambling tables were seized, after which Dwyer lectured the men.

"The dead line for you fellows is Forty-second Street," Dwyer warned them. "If you come across the line again I'll treat you as gangsters and club you out of the district."

He then released all but two of the men. The latter described themselves as Charles Bowman, advertising manager, 300 West Forty-ninth Street, and Robert Dunning, 258 West Fifty-fifth Street, each 40 years old, whom Dwyer charged with operating the place. They were bailed by Dr. James Regan of 19 West Sixtieth Street, who said he was their physician.

PASSES SUFFRAGE BILL.

Resolution Adopted Unanimously by Jersey Assembly.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 1.—For the third time in as many years the Assembly tonight passed the resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for woman suffrage. The measure will now go to the Senate, and as its adoption by that body is considered a certainty, it will then be submitted to the voters of the State next Fall. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the fifty-eight members present.

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER 50c the case of six glass stoppered bottles. —Advt.

REVOLT IMPERILS SHIP PURCHASE

Seven Democratic Senators Desert President's Bill and Move to Recommit.

CHAMBER IN A TURMOIL

Adjournment Taken to Avert Defeat, but President Is Still Confident.

BRYAN DENIES A PROTEST

Row in House When Republicans Insist England Filed an Informal Objection.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The outlook for the Ship Purchase bill, upon the prompt enactment of which President Wilson has set his heart, changed this afternoon within three minutes, when the Republican filibuster against the measure gave way to a determined attack upon it by the bill's Democratic opponents, under the leadership of Senator Clarke of Arkansas, President pro tempore of the Senate. Three roll calls followed, in each of which the Administration forces were clearly defeated. Mr. Clarke's motion to recommit, which would mean the death of the bill for this session, is left as the pending question before the Senate, with every chance of its adoption unless the Democratic leaders should be able to win over progressive Republicans by accepting their proposed amendments, without alienating Democratic votes.

To give time for negotiations an adjournment was taken at 6:30 P. M., thus bringing to a sudden end the session that, according to announcement, was not to close before a vote on the bill had been reached. The Democrats will hold a formal conference tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. In the meantime every influence that the White House possesses will be used to coax recalcitrant Democrats back into line.

Republicans tonight were confident that the breach they had made in the Democratic forces could not be closed up in time to save the bill. On the three roll calls the Democratic defections amounted to 7, 9, and 11 votes, seven Democrats casting their votes with the Republicans on a ballot that was a direct test of strength for and against the bill.

It is said that President Wilson is still confident of the passage of the bill. He discussed the situation at length tonight with Secretary Bryan and Senator Williams, and later it was indicated at the White House that there would be no let up in the fight.

"We can beat them, and we will beat them," said Senator Williams, on leaving the White House. "The opponents of this bill know as well as I do that the President is not going to buy war in carrying out the provisions of the measure."

It was indicated that while the President would not favor vital amendments, there would be no objection from the Administration to minor alterations to meet the views of Senators opposed to the measure as it now stands.

Had Even Installed Beds.

Today's sitting began with every appearance of a continuation of the dreary filibuster to which the Senate had become accustomed. In anticipation of night sessions beds were placed in committee rooms and even in the President's room in the Senate wing. Mr. Smith of Michigan, who was on the floor when the Senate recessed just before midnight Saturday, resumed his speech and talked on, with few Senators in attendance, for over six hours. Ae he hoarsely shouted his peroration and dropped wearily into his seat the door from the Republican cloak room opened and Republican Senators, who had been massed in reserve, filed into the chamber.

At the same time Mr. Clarke, who had been in conference on both sides of the aisle, advanced to his place in the midst of the Democratic chairs. He referred to the industrial depression throughout the country, particularly in the agricultural sections. It was his opinion, he declared, that the Rivers and Harbors bill and a bill to establish rural credit banks, which the President had said could not be considered at this session, would be of more benefit to those sections than the Ship Purchase bill.

"A rural credits bill," he said, "is due. In order to voice the views of those who feel this way, I move to recommit the pending bill."

Mr. Fletcher of Florida, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce, who is handling the Ship Purchase bill on the floor, was taken completely by surprise. He fell back on a point of order—that a motion to recommit was not in order because the yeas and nays had been ordered on the Democratic substitute for the House bill. The point of order was without precedent in the Senate and was received with smiles. But Vice President Marshall without hesitation sustained it. Mr. Clarke appealed and the first vote came with the Democrats handicapped by having to support a ruling unknown in the history of the Senate.

Mr. Marshall Overruled.

The Vice President was overruled, 37 to 46, with 9 Democrats voting against him. The bolting Democrats were Mr. Bankhead of Alabama, Mr. Bryan of Florida, Mr. Camden of Kentucky, Mr. Clarke of Arkansas, Mr. Hardwick and Mr. Smith of Georgia, Mr. Hitchcock of Nebraska, Mr. O'Gorman of New York, and Mr. Vardaman of Mississippi. Mr. Smith of Georgia and Mr. Bryan appeared to have voted merely in protest against the Chair's ruling, for on the later test vote they rejoined their party.

The Vice President's announcement of this vote threw the Senate into turmoil. Senators were on their feet all over the chamber. Democrats stared angrily and doubtfully at each other. Then Mr. Stone of Missouri, the President's most faithful supporter in the upper house, said, with slow and biting deliberation:

"In order that the Democrats may hold a conference and the Republicans and their allies a caucus, I move that the Senate do now adjourn."

His reference to the Democratic recalcitrants as Republican "allies" rendered any chance of immediate reconciliation hopeless, and, with discipline thrown to the winds, eleven Democrats joined the Republicans in continuing the session by a vote of 36 to 49. The positions of the two parties were reversed. Democrats were fighting for adjournment to stave off the fatal vote to recommit, while the Republicans,

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GREECE STANDS READY TO FIGHT FOR SERVIA

Prepares to Throw Entire Strength Against New Invasion—Stops Work on Warship.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—A dispatch to the Balkan Agency from Athens says:

"Greece with all her forces will go to the aid of Servia in every fresh invasion of Servia by the Austro-German armies. The greatest activity prevails now in military quarters."

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ATHENS, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—The building of the Greek battleship Salamis at the Vulcan shipyards, in Stetting, has been stopped. This is due to war conditions and because the Greek Government decided to stop making payments on the ship, believing that when it was completed it probably would be taken by Germany for her own use.

In the present critical outlook Greece needs all her resources for more pressing objects nearer home. The Greek naval mission which has been superintending the construction of the Salamis has been recalled from Stettin.

MAY DECLARE WAR ON RUMANIA FIRST

Germany and Austria Massing Troops on Lower Danube for Swift Blow.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Feb. 2.—The Morning Post publishes another article from a Hungarian correspondent in Budapest dealing with the Austro-Hungarian situation. Writing under date of Jan. 23, he says:

"I should not be in the least surprised if Austria-Hungary and Germany were shortly to declare war on Rumania and thus catch her before she has finished her preparations, for you may take it that Austria and Germany are not going to allow Rumania to obtain all the advantages that arise from a neutrality that is maintained during Winter and is to be broken only in Spring. I am inclined to think that Rumania will have to move before the Winter is over if she has made up her mind that her neutrality is not to be maintained throughout the duration of the war.

"I understand that several corps have been dispatched toward the lower Danube, and a good number of these troops are German and Bavarian regiments from the north, who were transferred south from Galicia and the Carpathians.

"In the north, where the Russian advance has been checked, it is not improbable that these troops will cross the Danube and Carpathians and march through Transylvania into Rumania, thus anticipating Rumanian invasion of the territory she covets."

GERMAN ARMY SEIZES ALL STOCKS OF METAL

Order Includes Copper, Despite Previous Assurances of Abundant Supply.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROTTERDAM, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—German papers announce the issuance of an official order directing that all stocks of copper, tin, aluminium, nickel, antimony, and lead are to be reserved for the use of the army. This announcement comes close on the heels of the public assurance from experts that there is ample copper, at least for war purposes.

Copper was one of the things Germany did its utmost to obtain large supplies of long before the war, for the internal production is ridiculously insufficient for any war on a big scale. Only recently Dr. Ernst Noah, writing in Die Metal Boerse, said:

"One of the most difficult problems in Germany is the need of raw materials. It is, however, fairly easy to get supplies of copper for war purposes. It is estimated that 100,000 tons per year are needed, of which Germany produces one-fourth, leaving the remaining 75 per cent. to come from foreign countries. But for the last five years 200,000 tons per year have been imported. Thus the stores, including the inland production, have been increased to about 2,150,000 tons in hand, a stock ample for all war needs. There are large accumulations in the stores, sufficient and to spare. Then there is a good deal of copper from used ammunition which the Army Council has collected from the battlefields."

Despite all these assurances, the Government now has issued an order practically commandeering all metal for war purposes only, while trains are being deprived of all superfluous metal fittings for the arsenals, and tram cables on systems in little frequented districts are being taken down for the same purposes.

BEER AND PORK GO UP WITH BREAD IN BERLIN

Cost of Labor Presses Brewers—Price of Hogs Nearly Doubled Since War Began.

BERLIN, (via The Hague to London), Feb. 1.—The sale of bread under the new regulations opened normally this morning, no measures having been adopted as yet to enforce the rule limiting purchases to two kilograms (about 4½ pounds) a week for each person. The magistrates are still considering what procedure will be followed. Meanwhile there was no rush to buy and the volunteer supervisors installed by the trades unions, to regulate traffic and keep the expected crowds in order, found no occupation.

Swine were selling today at 95 to 100 marks ($24 to $25) for fifty kilograms, contrasted with 57 marks at the outbreak of the war. The price is expected to show a further rise despite the number ready for slaughter, now that feed has been cut off.

An increase in the price of beer is also looked for. The National Brewers Association has adopted a resolution to the effect that this is unavoidable owing to the high cost of labor and all the constituents of beer except hops.

GERMAN RAIDERS SET DOVER FIRING

One Report Says Aircraft Flew Over City, Another That Submarines Were Seen.

LONDON DIMS HER LIGHTS

And Then Waits Expectantly for an Attack by Zeppelins—But Nothing Happens.

SUBMARINE NEAR LIVERPOOL

Vessel Believed to be the U-21 Seen 18 Miles from the Port Yesterday—Some Shipping Tied Up.

Russia to Treat Air Raiders as Pirates

PETROGRAD, (via London,) Feb. 2.—The Government has decided in future to treat the bombardment of unfortified towns as an act of piracy.

LONDON, Tuesday, Feb. 2.—The forts protecting Dover opened fire early last night on what were reported to have been German raiders, but whether they were in Zeppelins or submarines, or both, has not yet been made known. London prepared for a raid by Zeppelins, but nothing happened.

A telephone message to London after the firing by the Dover forts asserted that five hostile aircraft had been observed over the town, traveling east, and had been the objects of the batteries' fire.

A later report said that the aircraft were Zeppelins, and that they had been driven off by the gunfire. They turned and sailed away, it was added, apparently not penetrating inland.

A dispatch later to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Dover said:

"The harbor batteries opened fire early tonight, while searchlights swept the waters. It is believed that German submarines were the cause of the activity."

This statement about submarines would explain the gunfiring, but the Official Press Bureau issued no statement.

No sooner had reports of a raid reached London from Dover than the War Office instructed the police to make all preparations for an attack from the air. Occupants of houses were instructed before 8 o'clock to lower all blinds, and the gas works and electric light stations were notified to cut off all illumination.

At several railway stations all lights were extinguished and trains, passing over bridges, did so in darkness.

All special constables, under the regulations, were required to report at the various police stations, even those attending the theatres, where, in some cases, the audiences were greatly depleted by the rumor that a Zeppelin raid was imminent.

Parts of the city waited for more than two hours with blinds drawn, but nothing happened. Telephone calls to Harwich, Cromer, South End, King's Lynn, Yarmouth, and other points on the East Coast showed that no air raiders had been seen there.

DROP 60 BOMBS ON DUNKIRK.

German Aviators Fail to Do Much Damage in Night Attack.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

NORTHERN FRANCE, (Dispatch to The London Daily Mail,) Feb. 1.—Six German airmen paid another visit to Dunkirk last night. They approached the town from the sea and nothing was known of their presence until a bomb was dropped in Dunkirk about 8:30 o'clock.

Searchlights at once began to play and anti-aircraft guns opened fire. For two hours the fight was kept up and the residents of the town kept indoors, listening to the noise of the anti-aircraft shells, the reports of the airmen's bombs and the crackling of the machine guns fired by the Allies and also, it is believed, from the aeroplanes.

More than sixty bombs, explosive or incendiary, were dropped, but the damage done was insignificant. Bombs fell all over the town, which was another proof that they were dropped haphazard.

Notwithstanding the darkness and the fact that the French guns were firing at the intruders, several of the allied aeroplanes got under way and went in pursuit of the raiders.

SUBMARINE BOBS UP CLOSE TO LIVERPOOL

Craft Believed to Be the U-21 Seen in Irish Sea 18 Miles from Port Yesterday.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—A message received here this afternoon from Southport says that a German submarine, supposedly the U-21, was seen off there early this morning. Southport is a seaside resort of England on the Irish Sea, eighteen miles north of Liverpool.

The submarine attacks on merchant ships continue to be the paramount topic of discussion, and it is predicted that food prices, which are already soaring, will go still higher if any more raids are made. The shipping of the west coast is still somewhat upset, the Dublin Steam Packet Company announcing tonight the temporary abandonment of all sailings for Belfast, Liverpool, and Glasgow. Another Dublin company also has suspended its sailings, but the other schedules are being maintained as usual.

Nine steamships which ply across the North Channel have been held at Belfast, and fourteen colliers are remaining at anchor there.

"Rough weather has no terrors for the German submarines," said the Captain of the steamer Leinster in telling of his vessel's narrow escape from a German submarine off the Kish light vessel, opposite the mouth to Dublin Bay. "When we sighted her late Sunday afternoon just outside the entrance to Dublin Bay," he said, "the weather was so rough that not a single passenger was on deck. The submarine approached us while she was submerged, but we sighted her emerging less than a mile away. She signaled us to halt or we would be fired upon, but I ordered full speed ahead, changing our course every few miles.

"The submarine took the water well, but we got the engines up to a twenty-four-knot speed and soon outdistanced her."

The chief solace Great Britain finds in the submarine attacks is that the craft thus used cannot take part in the regular naval operations.

BERLIN JUBILANT OVER RAID.

Believes the Starving-Out Process Is Turned on England.

BERLIN, Feb. 1, (By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—The exploits of the German submarine U-21 in the Irish Sea have awakened a lively satisfaction in Germany, and they are generally looked upon as inaugurating a serious campaign of submarine warfare on British commerce.

The demonstration that German submarines can operate on the west coast of England, is treated in Berlin as an achievement of the utmost importance, it being the opinion of German naval men that it is likely to make the British policy of starving out Germany recoil on Great Britain.

BERLIN, (Via Amsterdam and London,) Feb. 1.—The German newspapers comment extensively on the German submarine raid in British home waters.

"We hope that the commercial war now taken up by German submarines in British home waters," says the Tages Zeitung, "will strike at the root of the British trans-oceanic trade."

Capt. Persius, the naval expert of the Berliner Tageblatt, has this to say of the event:

"Especially remarkable is the theatre of new action. Hitherto the most advanced point where our submarines displayed activity was in the westerly outlet of the Channel, but henceforward the English merchant navigation will have to reckon with other German submarine dangers which it can only avoid when it stops traffic."

The Post says: "We see that England's attempt to cut off the supply of victuals by hindering all foreign trade promises great success."

All the newspapers voice enthusiasm over the doings of the submarine as ushering in the war upon Great Britain's commerce as heralded by Admiral von Tirpitz. Attention is called particularly to the fact that U-21 is operating a thousand miles from her base, which is a greater radius of activity than anybody believed possible. The argument is advanced that what already has happened to small coasters may tomorrow happen to the great English liners.

PARIS IN FLAME OF ANGER.

Unheralded Attack on the Tokomaru Denounced by the Press.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—The sinking of the British steamer Tokomaru in the English Channel off Havre by a German submarine, said to have been done without previous warning to enable the crew to escape, has provoked an outburst of indignation in the French press.

All the newspapers refer to the interview credited to Admiral von Tirpitz, the Commander in Chief of the German naval forces, in which a war on merchant ships by submarines was outlined.

SHIP INSURANCE DOUBLES.

Rates at Lloyd's Increase from 5 to 10, and Even 15 Shillings.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The German submarine raid in the Irish Sea caused a commotion at Lloyd's and insurance rates stiffened generally. The Atlantic rate ordinrily is 5 shillings ($1.25) per cent., but the underwriters now are asking 10 shillings ($2.50) and in some cases 15 shillings ($3.75).

What little business is being transacted, however, is believed to be at the lower figures.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 1.—The insurance rates on coasters have been raised from 5 to 20 shillings per cent. as a result of the German submarine raid.

DENIES KOLBERG WAS LOST.

German Embassy Gets an Official Report on the North Sea Fight.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The German Embassy here today announced the receipt of an official message from the German Admiralty declaring false the report concerning the sinking of the cruiser Kolberg in the recent North Sea fight, and reiterating claims of British losses.

NO NAPOLEON ABOUT ME, SAYS SMILING KAISER

He Tells German Newspaper Men He Wears Better Clothes Than the Corsican.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Standard.)—When he received the war correspondents on his birthday the Kaiser casually mentioned that he did not think it fair that he should be so frequently twitted with endeavoring to ape Napoleon.

Bonaparte, the Ward Lord went on, was a mighty warrior; but, much as he admired the military genius of the Little Corporal, he was a greater believer in the methods of the immortal Moltke and the teaching that had done so much to bring the German army up to its all-conquering pre-eminence.

For another thing, the Kaiser laughingly said, he had no wish to be placed on the same level as Napoleoi, for everyone knew that the Corsican could never be got to wear a decent suit of clothes, "whereas," proceeded His Majesty, with a broad smile, "no one can accuse me of not having both a varied and extensive wardrobe. No; believe me, gentlemen," concluded the Kaiser, "there is not Napoleon about me."

"As will be seen," says the narrator of this interview, "the Kaiser was in one of his best humors, and had evidently made a special effort to put himself on friendly terms with the newspaper men."

JELLICOE OFF IRISH COAST.

Dentist's Disbelief Obliged Grand Fleet Admiral to Visit Him.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—A few days ago THE NEW YORK TIMES printed a dispatch based on communications received in this city from England that the British Grand Fleet, under command of Admiral Jellicoe, was stationed off the Irish Coast. Confirmation of this story was received by mail today by The Chicago Daily News, which, under date of Jan. 16, prints this communication as coming from a correspondent in Dublin, Ireland:

"Some little time ago a dentist of Derry received an urgent telegram signed 'Jellicoe' requesting him to go to a certain place in Lough Swilly, the British Naval Station on the Irish Coast to attend to the teeth of the Admiral commanding the British naval forces. For reasons that seemed sufficient to him, the dentist did not go. Two or three days later he was surprised when the Admiral walked into his office.

"'Did you get my telegram?' asked the commander of the fleet.

"'I did,' said the dentist.

"'Then why did you ignore it?'

"'Oh,' said the dentist, 'I was sure it was a hoax.'

"Then he attended the Admiral's teeth, much to the Admiral's relief.

"This story, when the Dublin correspondent of The Daily News attempted to cable it, was rejected by the British censor," adds The Daily News, as a foot note.

RUSSIANS RETAKE POLAND TRENCHES

Fierce Bayonet Charge Dislodges Germans from Borjimow Positions.

LANDSTURM MEN CAPTURED

Many Middle-Aged and Under-Aged Soldiers in Germany's Eastern Fighting Line.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—All Saturday and during the previous night the Germans and Russians were engaged in hand-to-hand fighting about Borjimow, between Sochaczow and Lowicz.

The section of the Russian trenches which the Germans succeeded in occupying on Friday was attacked by the Russians during the night. There was furious fighting, in which, almost for the first time, the Germans ventured to cross bayonets with their foes. The attack ended with the Russians bayoneting two companies of Germans and retaking the foremost line of trenches. Three officers and sixty men were taken prisoners and one Maxim was captured.

From the stories told by the prisoners it appears that the Germans on Friday brought up again to this section of the trenches four infantry regiments. Their losses were astounding, amounting to four-fifths of the men engaged. Among the prisoners were men 42 or 43 years of age, who explained that the German active army was being kept up to its strength by drafting in large numbers of Landsturm men who had only a fortnight's training. There are as many as forty men per company of these middle-aged, untrained Landsturm troops now serving with the active army.

After twenty-four hours of almost ceaseless hand-to-hand fighting about Borjimow the net result was that a small body of Germans still retained possession of the head of one of the Russian saps, but the entire line of the Russian foremost trenches is again in the hands of the Russians, and matters are precisely where they were six weeks ago—on the map.

In other respects, however, matters are becoming desperate for the Germans. They have called to the colors recruits who will not have attained the service age for two years to come, apart from drafting all the available men, irrespective of age. When this policy is contrasted with that pervading in the Russian Army it spells disaster for Germany. Russia has called up fewer recruits than usual, even in peace times, and much less than half of those attaining the service age in the present year. She has not nearly exhausted her first reserve of men, all of whom have had military training, and the last summoned draft of these alone provides another 1,500,000 splendid troops.

CARPATHIAN FIGHT IMPENDING

Huge Austro-German Force to Act Against Przemysl or Bukowina.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—The steady, solid development of the Russian campaign at the opposite ends of the battle front—near the Baltic Coast, East Prussia, and on the Persian frontier—has provoked Field Marshal von Hindenburg to another violent attack against the Russian intrenched stronghold, the outside line of the Bzura River, in Central Poland. He has reaped nothing but a heavy death roll, yet it is foreseen that he will probably repeat his headlong assaults in the hope of inducing the hesitating elements in southeastern Europe to refrain from entering the field against Germany.

This motive seems to dominate the present operations of the great Austrian army in the Eastern Carpathians. The disposition of the forces there points to the expectation of a prolonged battle. The preparatory movements are still maturing. Their dilatory character is evidently due to hesitation between two entirely different objectives. Half a million Austrians, with the support of three German corps, are ostensibly deploying as if to advance on the roads leading to the plain facing Przemysl, but there is a strong suggestion that the checks which they already received from the Russians in this region are converting them to the plan of turning with overwhelming numbers against Bukowina.

PETROGRAD, (via London,) Feb. 1.—Russian military authorities believe that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is planning another thrust at Warsaw, and that in fact he is already developing a general attack along the Warsaw front. Military activity recently has been confined to limited areas, but the events of the last few days are regarded as indicative of a change in tactics. Especial significance is attached to the great violence with which the Germans are resuming their attacks in the Wyszogrod district, at the junction of the Bzura and Vistula Rivers, and further south, near Bolimow.

In East Prussia the Russians are gradually extending their lines to the northward. The most recent development in that section is the raid across the frontier north of Tilsit, where are located German granaries containing large stores of rye, flax, and breadstuffs.

From the point of view of Russian staff officers, however, chief importance is still attached to the operations in the Carpathians, where the battle front is broken on account of the nature of the country. The detached engagements, which are occurring at various points in the mountain passes and among the foothills southward, are intended by the Russians to frustrate the evident desire of the Austrians to carry the fight to the open plains of the Upper San.

RECOUNTS RUSSIAN GAIN IN LAST SIX MONTHS

Czar's Aide de Camp Says Troops Are Stronger, Conquests Well Organized.

PETROGRAD, (via London,) Feb. 1.—A Russian General, who is an Aide de Camp to Emperor Nicholas, and is necessarily nameless, gave an Associated Press correspondent today the Russian viewpoint of the military situation. The Aide de Camp had just returned from inspecting the Russian forces at all the fronts except in the Caucasus.

"Today," he said, "exactly a half-year since the beginning of the war, our second line of troops is greater, and our entire armies are much stronger. The men are more hardened and physically and morally more ready.

"The enemy's territory has been occupied in East Prussia and Galicia to a greater extent than our most optimistic expectations, while the Germans are occupying practically the same lines as at the outset of the war.

Official Reports of War Operations

RUSSIA.

PETROGRAD.—In the forests to the north of Gumbinnen and Pillkallen our troops, continuing the conflict, have made progress at some points.

On the left bank of the Vistula, on Jan. 30, a desperate combat was under way. In the region of Borjimow the Germans, who had captured one of our trenches on the preceding day, were attacked by us after nightfall. After an extremely tenacious struggle we succeeded, with the aid of a bayonet charge, in dislodging the enemy from the trench. We almost annihilated two entire companies of Germans, captured three officers and more than sixty soldiers, and also took a rapid-firing gun.

In the course of the day the enemy made a new attempt to drive us from our advanced trenches, but was everywhere repulsed, after a bloody struggle, except in one of our saps, where some elements of the enemy succeeded in establishing themselves.

An examination of prisoners disclosed the fact that the Germans in their attack of the 28th upon a part of our trenches at Borjimow had employed four regiments of infantry, some of which were composed of seasoned men.

Our artillery on the left bank of the Vistula continued to shell the positions of the enemy with perceptible advantage to us. It demolished a German outpost and some German field works, damaged certain German trenches, put three machine guns out of action, and silenced some of the enemy's cannon.

In the Carpathians the fighting continues along the front between Mount Dukla and Mount Wysskow. Generally speaking our positions along this front are secure. As to the left wing, the front between Nignia Polianka and Lotovisk, we are progressing satisfactorily and every day we take some prisoners.

In Bukowina there has been nothing more than unimportant encounters between advance guards.

In the fighting below Tabriz the Turks lost four field guns, provisions, munitions, and many prisoners. Having been cut off from Tabriz and suffered heavy losses, they took to flight. On Jan. 30 we occupied Tabriz.

Other fronts are without material change.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA.—Owing to the favorable weather conditions there was much military activity yesterday in Russian Poland and West Galicia. Local successes were attained at many points.

New Russian attacks west of Lupkow Pass, (Carpathians,) were repulsed. We captured five officers, 800 men, two cannon, and two machine guns in an engagement on a wooded mountain ridge.

Nothing of importance has occurred in Bukowina. In the southern theatre the situation is unchanged.

FRANCE.

PARIS.—(*Night Report*)—The night of Jan. 31-Feb. 1 was very quiet. In the morning of Feb. 1 the enemy made a violent attack on our trenches to the north of the road between Bethune and La Bassée. The attack was repulsed and the Germans left a number of dead on the field.

At Beaumont Hamel, to the north of Albert, the German infantry attempted a surprise against one of our trenches, but they were obliged to take to flight, abandoning the explosives with which they had been provided.

In the Argonne there has been great activity in the region of Fontaine Madame and the Forest of La Grurie. An attack by the Germans has been repelled near Bagatelle. One of our trenches, demolished by two mines, was evacuated without loss.

In the Vosges and in Alsace there is no action to report. The snow fall has been very abundant.

(*Day Report*)—The day of Jan. 31 was marked, as had been Jan. 30, by artillery fighting, which was particularly spirited in all the northern region.

To the south of Ypres the Germans endeavored to attack our trenches to the north of the canal, but this movement was immediately checked by the combined fire of our artillery and infantry.

Along the entire Aisne front, from the junction of this river with the Oise as far as Berry-au-Bac, our batteries were successful at certain points in demolishing trenches in course of construction as well as shelters for machine guns, and in silencing several mine throwers as well as certain artillery detachments of the enemy.

In Champagne, to the northeast of Mesnil-les-Hurlus, we perfected our organization in a little forest which we took possession of the day before yesterday.

Jan. 31 was relatively calm in the Argonne, where the Germans seem to have suffered heavily in the recent fighting.

There is nothing of interest to report from the fronts in the Woevre district, in Lorraine and in the Vosges.

GERMANY.

BERLIN.—In the western war theatre there is nothing important to report.

On the East Prussian frontier nothing new occurred.

To the southwest of Mlawa, north of the Vistula River, the Russians were driven out of some places which they had occupied the day before.

On the German front south of the Vistula, the Germans gained further terrain.

To the south of the Pilica River the German attacks were renewed.

The distance between the Bzura River and the German frontier, though greater in miles than between Sochaczew and Warsaw, is strategically much less important for the reason that there are no fortified positions between the Bzura and Germany, while the last three months, during which the Germans have been occupied in vain attempts to advance, have been profitably used by us to fortify the line from Nowo Georgiewsk to Warsaw and Ivangorod, which line is now practically impregnable.

"The territory occupied by us in East Galicia is now part and parcel of the Empire. Lemberg and vicinity are well fortified, and the population is well satisfied with the new status of things.

"In the Carpathians the Austrians have been weakened by recent defeats, and the German help there will be insufficient to infuse new blood into their army.

"At the outset of the war fears were expressed, in view of the difficulties of importation, as to where we were to get necessary mechanical implements. Necessity has shown the strength and resourcefulness of the Russian. Many small wares formerly manufactured for us in Germany and Austria have been perfectly replaced in the Moscow manufactories. Village handwork is producing satisfactory cutlery, saddlery and munitions, and in making these things the peasant is showing remarkable adaptability. Even machine articles are successfully produced. When our troops were in East Prussia the first time they secured eight barbed wire machines. These were brought to Russia and copied, so that such machines are now produced here. This is one example, and such occurrences are numerous.

"The relations of the soldiers and the commanders are excellent. Many occasions have witnessed situations where the commander desired to precede the men. The latter, however, requested the leaders to remain behind, saying: 'You are hard to replace; we can be spared.'

"A felicitous circumstance is the absolute unity of the nation and the army. Officers and men are extremely alive to what is happening in the country, and are gratified to see the concord between the Government and the people and the interest which the entire people is taking in the campaign. Sanitary conditions can be judged by the insignificant number of cases of illness and the vigor of the men in the ranks."

SAY GERMANS SEEK PEACE.

Russian Papers Assert They Have Changed Their Attitude.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—Many articles in the newspapers are devoted to reviews of the six months of war. They contend that it is the Germans who have the most to dread from a slow, long war.

Already, it is pointed out, the Germans are abandoning their talk of universal hegemony in favor of manoeuvres toward obtaining a respectable peace.

TURKS QUIT ADRIANOPLE.

Withdraw Troops to Defend Tchatalja—Germans Fear Attack.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Feb. 1. — The Temps Athens correspondent says that the Turks are withdrawing all their forces from Adrianople in order to reinforce the Tchatalja lines in fear of an attack from the Russians, whose landing will soon be facilitated by the addition of a new dreadnought to their fleet, which will insure supremacy to the Russians in the Black Sea.

In consequence of anxiety on this point and the Turks' defeat in the Caucasus, the Germans are so unpopular that the German Ambassador keeps two trains continually under steam ready to carry the German colony away in the event of a popular outbreak.

The correspondent states that the whole of Greece is enthusiastically for the Allies and welcomes allied successes as if they were its own.

DAGGERS SENT TO PRISONERS.

Hidden in Red Cross Packages for Germans' Use, It Is Said.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—Daggers have been sent to German prisoners in Red Cross packages through American consular agents, according to the Matin.

The commander at Fort Lanvoc in Finistère, Brittany, opening one of the packets containing clothing for prisoners, found hidden in a pair of socks a dagger in a leather sheath. Further search revealed eleven others, it is said, all apparently intended for the sentries in the event of an effort to escape.

The commander immediately summoned the American Consul, before whom a full report was drawn up, as the American agents undertook the delivery of the goods.

USE RUINED CHURCHES TO AID "HOLY WAR"

Germans Distribute in Turkey Photographs of Destruction—Turks Imitate Them.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERNE, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—A neutral who has just arrived from Constantinople says that Germany is distributing throughout Turkey an illustrated publication showing as a frontispiece the declaration of the so-called "Holy War."

The remaining pages are devoted to pictures of cathedrals, churches, and convents destroyed by the Germans in France and Belgium. The letter press is in Turkish and Arabic.

This publication has had the effect of incensing the Turks against the native Christians, several of whose churches have been destroyed by mobs.

PEACE PRAYERS BARRED.

Clash Between French Government and the Church Is Feared.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—Disagreements between the Roman Catholic Church and the French Government, which had disappeared in the "Truce of Parties," seem likely to recommence owing to a recent action by the Pope, who has issued a circular letter to all Catholic clergy, the French included, ordering them to offer prayers for peace in all churches.

The French Government, having prosecuted anarchist societies for distributing pacific pamphlets, makes no secret of its intention to prosecute and even imprison Bishops and priests who read pacific prayers.

The priests are thus confronted with the choice of disobeying the Pope or betraying France, for so the authorities consider pacific efforts at present.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle.)—Considerable agitation has been caused among the clergy in France by the letter from the Pope ordering prayers for peace.

For some time there has been an anonymous propaganda, undoubtedly German in its character, urging the French people, and especially French women, to agitate for peace. These influences have been sternly condemned by the French Government, and it is now felt that if public prayers are offered in France for peace they may be misinterpreted by ignorant or faint-hearted persons if it is not thoroughly understood that peace must be dependent upon the victory of the Allies.

Despite the people's religious obedience to the Pontiff, it is felt that France is fighting for what Cardinal Bourne has just called "Christian civilization." The pure motive of the Pope in desirng a truce to the butchery between the nations is not questioned, but there is a general expression of disappointment among the Catholics of France that he has not openly condemned the Germans' destruction of unfortified towns, execution of priests, and other acts outside the rules of war.

NEW ZEALAND BUYS WHEAT.

Arranges for Delivery of 1,000,000 Bushels from Canada in July.

WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Feb. 1.—New Zealand, it is announced here, has arranged to purchase 1,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat. Delivery is to be made in July.

BRITAIN FORESEES NO DACIA TROUBLE

Contraband Situation Clarified by Bryan's Letter and Irritation Removed.

SEEK WILHELMINA SOLUTION

Perhaps on Basis of Compensation for Foodstuff Cargo—England's Cotton Policy Called Generous.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—News of the sailing of the Dacia scarcely caused a ripple on the surface of British public opinion today. The conviction that no serious trouble can arise or be engineered between the British and American nations or between the British and American Governments has been so strengthened by the comments of the American press and by Secretary Bryan's letter to Senator Stone that Englishmen generally are as little likely to grow excited over the tortuous developments of the Dacia affair as over a jig-saw puzzle.

Secretary Bryan's exposition of the American Government's view of the whole question of neutrality has removed the last vestiges of irritation caused by the initial misrepresentation of the American note regarding contraband. There is, of course, no disposition in official quarters to treat any questions that may arise with anything but the serious attention they deserve, but it is believed that there is no essential difference in the points of view of the two nations and that all difficulties can be smoothed away.

In regard to the Wilhelmina particularly, THE NEW YORK TIMES correspondent learns that every effort will be made by the British Government to seek a solution which will prove satisfactory to all parties concerned. This vessel, which is carrying foodstuffs to Germany, will proceed on her course under the observation of British warships, but without molestation, until some agreement is arrived at. This probably will be found upon the basis of compensation rather than condemnation, although the recent announcement by the German Government of its intention to take over all food stocks is held to have given the British Government a clearer right than hitherto under international law to detain the ship and its cargo.

A point which is receiving consideration, however, is that the Wilhelmina sailed prior to the German Government's announcement of its policy regarding the taking over of food stocks. Count von Bernstorff's guarantee in regard to the Wilhelmina's cargo is also noted. It is not as yet any part of the British policy to regard foodstuffs intended for civilian consumption as contraband of war. The unofficial proposal that the American Relief Commission buy the Wilhelmina's cargo may afford a way out of the difficulty.

The Chronicle, in an editorial on the sailing of the Dacia, says:

"There is obvious prima facie evidence for putting her on trial. As THE NEW YORK TIMES puts it, 'It can hardly be that the presumption is against good faith.'

With regard to the change in the Dacia's destination to Rotterdam instead of Bremen, The Chronicle says the distinction is more ingenious than convincing, for if once the Dacia reaches Holland she can make her way directly to Germany through Dutch territorial waters, where the Allies cannot touch her, and the practical consequences will be the same.

"We shall probably be not far wrong," says The Chronicle, "in supposing that the authors of the Dacia's adventure count less on her chance of success than on the possible fruits of her failure. The loss of a single merchant vessel would, in German and pro-German eyes, be a cheap price to pay for the estrangement of Great Britain and the United States.

"If American opinion wants an illustration of our desire to minimize the inconveniences of war for the citizens of the United States it might well ponder the case of cotton. Cotton, besides its civil uses, is an almost indispensable ingredient in the manufacture of high explosives. To cut off its supply from Germany might embarrass the German War Office in a very effective way, and if all the world's cotton-growing countries were British, as all except the United States are, we should undoubtedly forbid its export for German consumption; nay, more, if it were not that so large an amount is exported from the United States and forms so large a factor in its national prosperity, we should certainly have declared cotton contraband. That we have refrained from doing so has been a concession to the United States and one which costs us a good deal.

"Every one of our brave men who falls by a Germany bullet or is blown to pieces by a German high explosive shell is a victim of American-grown cotton. We are not complaining, but the point is one which, we think, Americans might fairly bear in mind when they hear the Bernstorffs and Dernburgs declaiming about the inconsiderateness of British navalism and our refusal to set limits to our interference."

AUSTRIA AND HUNGARY UNITED, SAYS TISZA

Says Antagonism and Divergence of Opinions Among Empire's Peoples Have Vanished.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, Feb. 1.—Count Tisza yesterday presided at a meeting held at Budapest with the object of raising money for the German, Austrian, and Hungarian Red Cross and Turkish Red Crescent. He delivered an important speech, affirming Hungary's predominance in Austria. He said:

"The present war has been let loose by the demons of egotism and hatred, but it has revealed proof of the solidarity of the different nationalities and races. Antagonism and divergence of opinions among the peoples of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy have disappeared.

"Owing to the war the Austrian and Hungarian flags are hoisted side by side upon the houses in Vienna and Budapest. The war has strengthened the conviction that in all circumstances we need to guarantee one another. I am certain that the war has convinced every Austrian that Hungary's great power is indispensable to the monarchy's position in Europe.

"The alliance between Germany and Austria-Hungary is without precedent in history since it is characterized by mutual solidarity and sympathy. The union will persevere in the struggle until the final triumph of our just cause."

FIGHTING IN ZERO WEATHER.

Skis and Sledges Figure in Austro-Russian Conflicts.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—Winter has laid a firm hand on the southeastern battlefield, where the Austrian army is being crumpled up slowly for a hundred miles in Central Galicia, and where the temperature is many degrees below zero. The Russians, well clad and well fed, are intrenched in the snow in far superior strength to that of their opponents.

Henry Hellssen, a Danish war correspondent of the Berlinske Tidende, who is with the Austrian Headquarters Staff, wires today an account of the terribly hard fighting conditions in this corner of the war theatre. The roads and tracks, he says, are hidden by snow, and the Austrian General Staff is using officers as signposts, stationing them at crossroads, bridges, rivers, and in valleys. All ammunition and food supplies are dragged on sledges, and a constantly increasing number of regiments are being trained in ski-running. Officers and men are unrecognizable in their Winter furs and hats. The cavalry, which for the most part is now fighting on foot, has discarded the famous red trousers for the thicker and more clumsy garments usually worn by the infantry. When the troops are marching through the snow rifles and swords are piled on sledges, and the men feel their way with ice staves.

"I am telegraphing this," says the correspondent, "from the furthest front in Central Galicia. Field Marshal Arz von Straussenburg, who has arrived from Limanowa, and his staff are quartered in an old cloister no longer inhabited by the nuns. At this part of the front the armies are interlocked. The Russians tried some days ago to break through the Austrian lines at Luzna and the situation became very serious; but the Field Marshal hurried to the point menaced, where the Austrians were already retreating from the trenches, visited each trench, making flaming speeches to the men, and his strong personality had such an effect that the soldiers ceased retreating and brought a superior force of Russians to a standstill, at any rate for the present."

In Bukowina there is an unbroken stretch of wire entanglements in front of the Austrian trenches over a distance of 100 miles. The outposts placed at regular intervals of thirty yards along this vast line are wrapped in white snow coats and hats, so that it is very difficult for the enemy to distinguish them. Even the machine guns are covered with white sheets and mounted on sledges.

Most of the recent fighting has taken place at night. The Austrians illuminate the battlefield by burning innumerable stacks of straw, and the Russians reply with huge electric searchlights.

REPORT MORE AUSTRIAN RIOTS

Swiss Travelers Say Magyars and Czechs Are Near Rebellion.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Jan. 29, (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—Travelers from Austria, arriving at Buchs, on the Swiss frontier, report that they have witnessed riots and demonstrations at Budapest, Prague, and other smaller towns of Hungary and Bohemia, against the continuation of the war. A Russian invasion in these regions, they say, will lead to a general rebellion, as a majority of the people favor the Allies, especially France.

Hatred against the Germans is increasing, as the Hungarians and Czechs, even in the highest quarters, believe that Germany has used the empire for her own purposes. The new expedition against Servia is strongly disapproved, and several petitions have been sent to the Emperor to stop it and to take military measures to prevent the Russian invasion of Hungary.

MASSING TO ATTACK SERVIA.

Austrian Artillery Shelling the South Bank of the Danube.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—Austro-Hungarian troops, according to Servian reports, are massing between Temesvar and Orsova, and an artillery duel has begun between Orsova and the Servian bank of the Danube.

INFERNAL MACHINES IN BATTLESHIP COAL?

Startling New Theory in England About the Blowing Up of the Bulwark and Formidable

Some strange stories, which are going the rounds in England concerning the real explanation of the sinking of the British battleships Formidable and Bulwark, were brought here by a passenger arriving on the Franconia yesterday. Many of these are wild tales, but no doubt attaches to the fact that the British authorities are considerably concerned over the result of official inquiries into the causes of the two disasters.

Owing to the similarity of the circumstances surrounding the destruction of both vessels, secret inquiries were said to have been ordered by Lord Fisher himself, in addition to the ordinary official inquiries. Some strange facts from these investigations were brought to light.

Sheerness is a coaling station on the east coast, and the majority of the North Sea squadron and Channel fleet coal here. The Bulwark had just finished or was just finishing coaling when she was blown up in Sheerness Harbor. Following her usual custom, the Formidable coaled at Sheerness, too, and it was only a matter of a day after leaving the harbor that she sank in the channel off Torbay.

Official explanations that a submarine sank her were given out, but, according to the privately expressed views of a responsible official of the Navy Department, the real explanation is much more startling. Private investigations, it was said, showed that the explosion in both cases occurred in the coal bunkers, and circumstances pointed to the possibility that the disasters might have been caused by infernal machines.

Going still further, it was discovered that the actual work of coaling the two battleships was carried out by the same gang of coalers. Upon this discovery suspicions, of course, were only natural, and the coaling gang was at once rounded up and placed under detention. Investigations are still proceeding on the assumption of the presence of spies, but nothing has been allowed to be published in the English papers of the course of events, owing to the fact that the British authorities do not desire the Germans to have knowledge of the trend of the inquiries. In these circumstances the German acquiescence in the submarine story as the cause of the disasters is obvious, for if any such plot as is suspected is in existence, the German plan would naturally be to divert attention from the real facts. Since this startling discovery the authorities have ordered strict watch kept on all coaling ports, conditions of coaling, and the personnel of the gangs engaged in the work.

FRENCH CAVALRY HUNT A MAN

Whole Service Eager to Catch German Officer Accused of Treachery.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—Cavalrymen in France, from Dunkirk to Alsace, are eager to capture a certain German officer, to avenge what they regard as an act of treachery. Lieut. von Schaffenburg, whose name has been passed from mouth to mouth along the whole battle front, is a more coveted prize than the Crown Prince himself, and the regiment which takes him prisoner will, it is felt, have won great laurels.

Near Neufchateau, in Belgian Luxemburg, on Aug. 10, a scouting patrol of the Twenty-fifth Dragoons, under the command of Lieut. Laboulle, met a slightly smaller German force, which fled to draw the Frenchmen under the fire of a concealed mitrailleuse. This emptied many saddles, Laboulle's among them. His orderly, riding close, slipped unwounded from his horse and lay shamming dead in the hope of a rescue after the withdrawal of the enemy. The remainder of the French took shelter in the neighboring woods.

The German horsemen returned after their successful trick, headed by an officer, who dismounted, approached the stunned and wounded Laboulle, took the latter's revolver from his belt and shot him in the body. Then he pocketed his watch, field glasses and portfolio, containing money and papers. He did not notice the orderly, who lay motionless, and subsequently told of the outrage.

Other French forces arrived and reattacked before the German officer could remount his horse. This he was forced to abandon and run away, holding a trooper's stirrup. The captured charger bore the name of "Von Schaffenburg" on his saddle. Whereupon the dragoons, vowing vengeance, decided to communicate the story to the rest of the cavalry. Lieut. Laboulle, though frightfully wounded, did not die, and is now approaching convalescence.

HALDANE HIMSELF NAMED KITCHENER

Was First to Suggest That a Trained Army Man Was Needed in War Office.

SILENT UNDER ATTACKS

Derided as an Englishman with a "German Mind," the Lord Chancellor Went On with His Work.

Special Correspondence of THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Here is a piece of hitherto unwritten history which will doubtless receive its due place in the archives of the war, and will certainly have to be taken into consideration by the future biographer of a notable British statesman, Lord Haldane, present Lord Chancellor, ex-Secretary of State for War philosopher, jurist, and much-calumniated person.

Soon after the outbreak of the war, it will be remembered, Lord Haldane was the object of certain attacks which went so far as to suggest that the admiration he had always expressed for German literature and philosophy and the efforts he had made to ameliorate the political relations of Germany and Britain unfitted him for the work he was doing for his country, and even rendered that work suspect.

"We Don't Want Haldane."

"Give us Kitchener—we don't want Haldane," was the cry. Kitchener was given to those who cried for him. It looked as if "K. of K.'s" advent at the War Office was a direct result of a newspaper campaign. As a matter of fact, Kitchener's appointment to the War Office was decided upon by the Prime Minister, Mr. Asquith, before a single line had appeared in any newspaper advocating his appointment; and the particular irony of the situation is that it was Lord Haldane himself who suggested Kitchener's appointment to Mr. Asquith.

The Lord Chancellor has been derided by his enemies and traducers in the press as having "a German mind." It was possibly thanks to his knowledge of Germany and the German character that when the war began he realized, possibly more quickly than any other man in England, how thoroughly Germany must have prepared for it and how vast and complicated was the task before the Allies. Mr. Asquith was, at the beginning of last August, discharging the duties of War Minister as a sequel to the Curragh incident. With the tremendous extra pressure entailed by the preparations for the great struggle, the Prime Minister called upon Lord Haldane to assist him at the War Office. That was on Sunday, Aug. 2. The following day Lord Haldane arrived at the War Office in obedience to his superior's call; but took immediate occasion to direct the Premier's attention to the fact that neither one civilian nor even two could be properly qualified to do the work in hand, but that a soldier and a great organizer was required.

"Neither you nor I, nor both of us," said Lord Haldane to Mr. Asquith in effect, though probably in different language, "can fill the bill. Kitchener is the man wanted."

Kitchener Wanted in Egypt, Too.

Mr. Asquith agreed with his colleague's suggestion. There was just one difficulty in the way. Lord Kitchener, as British Agent in Egypt, was in the employ of the Foreign Office, and this latter department fully realized the value of having him at the head of affairs in the Khedieviate, where trouble even then was foreseen. However, it was realized that the need of his services was greater even at home than in Cairo, and the Foreign Office gave way.

So Lord Kitchener, who had already on that Monday morning left London for Dover on his way to Egypt, was recalled by telegraph as he was about to board the channel steamer. He returned, saw Mr. Asquith the following morning at 10 Downing Street, and the next day, Wednesday, he was appointed Secretary of State for War. Lord Haldane remained at the War Office till he had completed the particular task assigned him by the Premier when the latter requested his assistance there.

These, it can be stated on authority, are the exact facts of a matter which has been travestied from political and personal motives in a fashion that has raised the gorge of most thinking Englishmen. Long after the first newspaper attacks on Lord Haldane had been forgotten by the general public in the excitement of the early days of the war, a daily paper which was eking out a perilous existence on a diet of sensation opened a campaign of calumny distinguished chiefly by ignorance and folly. Throughout it all Lord Haldane, who is of a most sensitive nature, sat without a word of defense or protest. Greater things were at stake, he realized, than his personal feelings; and when a Liberal newspaper, The Daily Chronicle, took up the cudgels on his behalf, it was practically against his wishes. His friends, however, maintained that it was to the interest of the country that his slanderers should be exposed, and the exposure was made with such telling effect that Fleet Street was not surprised to learn that the paper which had led the attack had gone into the hands of a receiver.

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BURN ALSATIAN TOWNS AS FRENCH ADVANCE

Germans Reported to be Driving Out Non-Combatants—Battles Rage Amid Deep Snows.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Jan. 29, (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—The French army, which has recovered a strip of land about fifteen miles wide from the Swiss frontier as far north as opposite St. Dié, has angered the retiring Germans, who are destroying every village they abandon, taking all the boys and old men with them and driving away the women and children by their sudden orders of evacuation. These refugees continue to arrive, in a lamentable state, at Basle and other points on the Swiss frontier.

Thann is in flames and even the deep snow has not prevented its being burned by continuous German bombardments.

Cernay is practically destroyed and the fighting around the town continues.

The artillery battle for the possession of Altkirch becomes more violent every day. The guns are buried under the snow by the gunners on both sides to prevent their location by the aeroplanes, which cross and re-cross the frontier almost daily.

The wives of all the German officers at Colmar and Strassburg, where the hospitals are full of wounded, have been ordered to leave.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Times.)—The Germans, it appears, without anything being said about it, have evacuated Cernay, in Alsace, which lies at the foot of Hill 425, the slopes of which were contested for so long with such grim ferocity. The French fire must have made it untenable, and the Germans are now bombarding it themselves to prevent the French from occupying it.

The latter are making no attempt to do so, but are applying the same treatment which they gave to Cernay to the Forest of Nonnenbruch, which the Germans have fortified and intrenched to the uttermost as a barrier to a French advance toward Mülhausen.

ALSATIAN STORK MAKES PARIS HAPPY

Alights on Liberty Statue and Is Declared by Watching Crowd a Good Augury.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—A great crowd assembled this afternoon in the Place de la Bastille to watch an Alsatian stork which had lighted on the wings of the statue of Liberty on top of the July Column, erected in honor of the heroes of the revolution of July, 1830.

The fact that an Alsatian bird had taken refuge in Paris was declared by some of the spectators to be a good augury.

LLOYD GEORGE IN PARIS.

Russian Finance Minister Also Arrives in French Capital.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—David Lloyd George, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, and P. Bark, the Russian Minister of Finance, have arrived here.

The visit to Paris of Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Bark probably is in connection with the consideration of the issuance of a joint loan of $3,000,000,000, which it has been reported recently is contemplated.

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RUSSIAN DEFEATS OF TURKS COMPLETE

General and Entire Staff of Central Division Captured in One Battle.

PERSIANS WERE MASSACRED

Terrible Slaughter by Turks and Tribesmen Reported — Turks Have Fled to Maragha.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—The new victories over the Turks in the Caucasus and at Tabriz, Persia, are of a sweeping character.

The Turks attempted, with their best Nizam divisions, to effect an encircling movement by moving along the track of the Oltychai River, but the Russians encamped at Olti started out in a bitter snowstorm across a ridge, where they were invisible to the Turks. The noise of the elements was such that their approach was unheard.

Then, with bayonets fixed, they sprang into the middle of a Turkish marching column, which in a few hours was thrown into blind confusion. Great numbers fled into side ravines, and have not yet been traced. The Russians captured the General and entire staff of the central division.

Another Russian column at the same time moved from Djulfa along the Trabriz road to force battle upon the Turkish army which invaded the Persian Province of Azerbaijan. The Turks advanced northward from Tabriz to Marand, where a stubborn battle was fought. The Turks were under Djevlet Pasha, who is regarded as one of their best aggressive fighters, but after a succession of frontal onslaughts the Russians broke his army in disorder. The Turks abandoned their cannon and banners, besides all their dead and wounded.

The significance of this victory is chiefly political. It is destructive to German and Turkish influence in Persia. The Persians gave the Turks no assistance during their occupation of Azerbaijan.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—I have received information that the Turks abandoned Tabriz after the defeat of their forces, and that the town was occupied by the Russians.

The Turkish forces holding Tabriz retired along the coast of Lake Urumiah to Maragha. They are not believed to be very numerous. In fact, there were fewer than 1,000 regular Turkish troops, but they were strengthened by vast hordes of their own and Persian frontier and Kurdish tribesmen, whom the Turks let loose upon the hapless people of Azerbaijan.

The slaughter of the peaceful Persian inhabitants of this province and the destruction of property by pillage and burning have been something appalling, and refugees from all parts of the province are flocking toward the Russian frontier in tens of thousands.

Maragha, which, it is understood, is now held by the Turks, is a formidable mountain stronghold, between forty and fifty miles due south of Tabriz.

REJECT BERNSTORFF PLAN.

British Officials Think His Wilhelmina Guarantee Is Worthless.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The Commission for Relief in Belgium has received no reply to its offer to purchase the cargo of the American steamship Wilhelmina, thus diverting her from Hamburg and avoiding an international incident, which is believed here to be inevitable if the vessel tries to reach Germany with her cargo of foodstuffs.

The announcement from Washington that Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to the United States, will guarantee that the cargo shall be used only for civilians in Germany has not influenced the British Government. Officials at the Foreign Office say they are unable to understand what valid guarantee Ambassador Bernstorff could give, in view of the German decree placing all foodstuffs in Germany under Government control.

If not purchased by the Relief Commission, the Wilhelmina doubtless will be conducted to an English port, where her cargo, officials say, will be taken over and paid for by the Government.

The announcement that the former Hamburg-American Line steamer Dacia had sailed from Galveston with a cargo of cotton for Germany caused much comment in London, where it was generally believed that the Dacia incident had been closed.

If the Dacia tries to reach Rotterdam, she unquestionably will be taken by British warships into an English port, where her cargo of cotton immediately will be reloaded on a waiting vessel. It will then be sent promptly to Rotterdam at the expense of the British Government, thus preventing loss to her owners.

It is the general impression here that the Dacia is certain to go into a prize court, to test the validity of her transfer from German to American registry.

FOOD SHIP AT ROTTERDAM.

The Lynorta Arrives with Cargo for Starving Belgians.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROTTERDAM, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily Telegraph.)—After a very rough voyage across the Atlantic, the British steamer Lynorta, laden with gifts from America for the stricken people of Belgium, arrived at Rotterdam last night, and is now in the harbor, discharging her cargo into barges for transit to Belgium. It is a task which will take at least four days to complete, and it is only the preliminary stage, for after the barges have gone up the river to Antwerp their contents will have to be divided for distribution throughout the towns and villages of the desolated and starving country.

For this mission the responsibility is with the American Commission of Relief, which chartered the Lynorta and also defrayed the cost of transportation of the goods to the coast and of the journey by sea.

ZIONISTS IN PERIL OF TURKISH ATTACK

Constantinople Doing Its Utmost to Stir Up Feeling Against the Colonists.

ARAB OUTRAGES INCITED

Use of Zionist Stamps Punishable by Death—Zionism Declared Anti-Turkish Movement.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

CAIRO, Feb. 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—I am able to send today a comprehensive account of the critical position of the Jews in Palestine, and particularly of the Zionist organization. The facts are vouched for by Vladimir Jabotinsky, a well-known Moscow journalist, who for the past five weeks has been organizing relief work among the refugees at Alexandria.

There is reason, M. Jabotinsky declares, to entertain the gravest fears for the safety of the 15,000 colonists in Galilee, Judea, and Samaria should the Turkish army in Syria suffer defeat, for Constantinople is doing its utmost to stir up feeling against them.

A proclamation issued by the commander of the Fourth Army Corps describes Zionism as a revolutionary anti-Turkish movement which must be stamped out. Accordingly the local governing committees have been dissolved and the sternest measures have been taken to insure that all Jews who remain on their holdings shall be Ottoman subjects.

With hardly any exception, though most unwillingly, the colonists have complied with this order rather than leave the country and be reduced to beggary.

At the same time the Anglo-Palestine Bank, the centre of the financial organization of Zionism, has been liquidated under conditions which make insolvency certain and will spell ruin to many small investors.

Actual confiscation of land has not yet taken place, but Arabs are being incited to take the law into their own hands and drive out their Jewish neighbors.

The use of Zionist stamps has been made punishable by death.

The fact that German influence is on the wane and must collapse entirely on the failure of the expedition against Egypt is a serious factor in the situation, making, as it does, for anarchy.

Nearly all the Jewish refugees in Alexandria come from Jerusalem and other large towns, among them being over 1,000 young men of the artisan class who refused to become Ottomans. They declare their eagerness to join the British Army.

The distress among the 5,000 Jews and 12,000 Christians left in Jerusalem is acute, the American relief supplies being insufficient to maintain life.

FEED 175,000 A DAY IN BRUSSELS ALONE

More Than a Quarter of the Population Dependent Upon American Bounty.

HOLLAND DOING HER BEST

Plight of Belgian People in No Wise Overstated, Dean McClenahan of Princeton Says.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Dean Howard McClenahan of Princeton arrived in London today after spending thirteen days investigating the condition of the Belgian refugees in Holland and nine days in Belgium. Dean McClenahan declares that in his opinion the needs of the Belgians and the plight of Belgium have not been overstated to the American people, and he is unqualified in his praise of the work which the Relief Commission is doing. When seen by THE NEW YORK TIMES correspondent he said:

"In due course I shall make a complete and careful report to Princeton University of my whole trip. In the meantime I may say I have been in every province in Belgium except two, in Flanders and in those places in Holland where there are especially large numbers of Belgian refugees. In Holland I visited Rotterdam, Nunspeet, The Hague, Amsterdam, Leyden, Gouda, and Groningen. Thousands of destitute guests whom Holland has been forced to entertain have been a heavy, dragging responsibility, but Holland has made their care a national duty and has performed it as faithfully as possible. In Gouda old hothouses have been used as refugee camps, and they are considered to have provided model quarters. In Nunspeet there are 13,000 refugees, and although much is being done for them those who have been able to continue their flight as far as England are more fortunate.

"In Belgium every courtesy was shown to me by the German authorities. In company with a German professor of economics from the new university at Hamburg I visited among other places in a motor and unhindered Brussels, Antwerp, Louvain, Liège, Dinant, Tirlemont, Charleroi and Mons. But for food furnished to the people by the Relief Commission Belgium today would be a land of starving thousands. The only flour in the country is that transported into it by the Relief Commission and this fact has been told me by members of the Commission, by Belgians and by the Germans themselves. In the Palace Hotel, Brussels, in the Restaurant Ray in Mons, in the Hotel Europe in Liège and in the bread line at Charleroi I ate bread furnished by the Commission, not from choice but from necessity. In Brussels 175,000 out of about 600,000 are fed daily in the bread line. In Charleroi 13,000 out of 29,000 are supported from the same source and so on until multiplying examples throw no new light upon the ghastly matter.

"Belgians everywhere and of all classes express undying gratitude for what America is doing for them, and on all sides one hears unrestrained expressions of praise of Brand Whitlock and of those administering the work of relief. Indeed, the speed, thoroughness, and efficiency with which this commission is doing its welcome work is from every point of view admirable. In the big centres and in the smaller places I met many of them, including Rhodes scholars, who are doing so well as supervisors in the distributing stations.

"And not only is Belgium sadly dependent upon them now, but in all probability she will become more so. There are here and there evidences that Spring wheat is being put into the ground, but there are not apparent preparations for supplying other staples. On the whole, evidences of the continuation of the country's normal industrial life are painfuly absent. However, in the neighborhood of Mons and Charleroi the coal mines are operating about three days a week.

"Regarding the feeling of the Belgians toward the Germans and matters at all military I must decline to say anything, but in conclusion I gladly repeat, I do not think conditions in Belgium have been or could have been overstated."

Dean McClenahan will go to Paris for a week tomorrow, and after returning to London will sail for America on Feb. 13.

ASKS CASH FOR BELGIAN AID

Committee Prefers That Supplies Be Left to Commission.

The Belgian Relief Committee, of which the Rev. Father J. F. Stillemans is President and J. P. Morgan & Co. the depositary, issued a statement yesterday announcing that hereafter the shipping end of its activities would be handled by the Commission for Relief in Belgium instead of by the Rockefeller Foundation, which will this week discontinue its transportation department, opened in November, at 8 and 10 Bridge Street. The committee in its statement says "its functions and purposes" are in no way affected by the discontinuance of the shipping department of the Rockefeller Foundation.

$3,686 to Belgian Fund.

The Belgian Relief Fund was increased by $3,686.49 yesterday, and now amounts to $894,753.73. Subscriptions should be addressed to J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall Street, or to the Belgian Relief Committee, 8 and 10 Bridge Street. Yesterday's contributions of $10 or more were:

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Bon Air guests	50	Mrs. J. A. Hartwell	25
Lucy P. Eastman	175	Henry T. D. De Meli	10
Theodore R. Hoyt	100	William G. Low	10
Andrew Anderson	100	Caroline D. Clements	10
John C. Welwood	100	Mrs. John H. Hall	25
A. L. R.	50	Mrs. Edward Potter	10
Daniel A. Davis	50	L. Reutter	10
George W. Breck	10	Helen H. Alexander	20
Mrs. C. J. Post, Jr.	10	In His Name	10
Mrs. F. D. Harmon	10	Mrs. J. A. Neeser	10
Mrs. F. S. Bangs	25	Mrs. H. Deacon	25
M. A. Cudin	10	Mrs. A. Carter	25
Mrs. T. H. Hammond	25	E. L. Ludlow	10
Mrs. G. M. C. McCarter	15	Mrs. Graham Lusk	10
M. Bergh Brown	10	Mrs. W. A. Butler	10
Sarah B. Colt	10	Mary O. Stevens	10
M. A.	10	Mrs. A. D. Walker	27
F. S. Smithers	25	E. L. Pierce	25
Edwin P. Clark	10	C. F. Mosle	30
Mrs. C. H. Robbins and Mrs. C. B. Hilliard	40	Mrs. C. G. Banks	15
M. D. Jones	20	Mrs. L. de Forest	10
Horace Hill	20	Miss A. Hoyt	10
S. Huntington	15	Caroline Marmon	20
C. H. Fay	10	C. E. Renshaw	10
Josephine Campbell	10	Pres. S. S., Utica	65
Mrs. J. C. Sheldon	10	G. M. Y.	10
F. S. Hulse	20	Anonymous	25
Mrs. J. L. Banks	10	Isabel C. Moyer	10
Mrs. Grosvenor	10	Mrs. H. Whitaker	35
Ralston Doughty	10	Cash	10
Mrs. J. O. Dutcher	10	Mrs. B. Estes	10
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The Woman's Section of the Commission for Relief in Belgium yesterday announced recent contributions aggregating $1,000, of which $600 was contributed by the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' Association, Washington.

Red Cross Gifts.

The Red Cross Fund was increased by $983.59 yesterday and now totals $49,664.26. Subscriptions should be sent to Jacob H. Schiff, Treasurer, 130 East Twenty-second Street, or 52 William Street. Yesterday's gifts of $10 or more were:

Dr. B. Dernburg (col.)	$591	F. S. Smithers	$60
Runkel Musicale	170	J. C. Wellwood	50
O. Kappelmann	62	De W. C. Jones	25

For French Women and Children.

Contributions received yesterday by Mrs. Whitney Warren, 16 East Forty-seventh Street, for the relief of destitute women and children in France amounted to $65, making a total of $54,906.10. The donors were Mrs. Emily N. Huyck, Albany, $10; Miss Gertrude Collins, New York, $25, and Mrs. William Greenough, $25.

Mercy Committee Receipts.

August Belmont, Treasurer of the Committee of Mercy, acknowledged the following additional subscriptions of $10 or more yesterday:

Daniel Edgar	$25	W. D. Despard	$10
Henry J. Hall	25	H. F. English	10
E. H. Graves	15	H. Missroon	10
Samuel Mather	200	R. H. I. Goddard	200
Florence H. Bethel	10	W. T. Carrington	50
Eugene Katz	10	SERVIAN FUND.	
B. Goodhue	10	H. A. Fuller	10
C. R. Scarborough	25		

The fund now totals $108,948.30. Subscriptions should be sent to Mr. Belmont, at 200 Fifth Avenue.

For Polish Non-Combatants.

The Polish Relief Committee of 14 East Forty-seventh Street, which is collecting funds for non-combatants only in Poland, received yesterday $25 from Mrs. Alfred L. Limon and $10 from the Congregational Church, Nelson, N. H. Other contributions came from San Francisco and Wisconsin. The total receipts to date are $18,711.52.

Clothing for France.

The American Girls' Aid for the collection of clothing for victims fo the war in France have shipped 65,000 articles of clothing, and will soon duplicate this amount. Gladys Hollingsworth will receive parcels at Pier 57 North River.

To Forward Funds for Jews.

The Provisional Executive Committee for General Zionist Affairs, of which Louis D. Brandeis is Chairman, has arranged through the Department of State, to have the American Consulate at Alexandria act as a depositary and distribution agency for Americans who desire to send money to relatives, among refugees from Palestine.

The Provisional Committee will deposit $10,000 with the American Consul at Alexandria, and will accept funds in New York, and cable advices to the American Consul to pay from its deposit. There will be no charge except the cable cost. Money will be accepted at 44 East Twenty-third Street.

FINDS SEA PLANES ARE NOT WAR SHIPS

Secretary Bryan Rejects German Protest Against Sales to Belligerents.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Secretary Bryan has notified Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, of the attitude of the American Government toward the sale and delivery of hydroaeroplanes to belligerent powers.

The letter which Count Bernstorff wrote to Secretary Bryan, implying that there was an obligation on the United States Government to interfere with the sale of hydroaeroplanes to belligerents, follows:

Imperial German Embassy,
Washington, Jan. 19, 1915.

Mr. Secretary of State: It has come to my knowledge that a number of hydroaeroplanes have been obtained in the United States for belligerent States from the Curtiss plant at Hammondsport, N. Y., and that a part of them has already been delivered.

An airship named America was delivered in October of last year to England, and five more hydroaeroplanes of the same type have been delivered since. England has also ordered twenty-four hydroaeroplanes of the I. N. model (seventy horse power) from Curtiss. Curtiss is also building for England twelve hydroaeroplanes of the K model of 160 horse power.

Russia has also recently ordered a number of hydroaeroplanes of the K model from Curtiss. How many is not yet known. The motors for the aeroplanes are built partly by Curtiss himself at Hammondsport, partly by the Herschel Spillman Motor Factory at North Tonawanda, N. Y. The wings are made at the Curtiss plant; the minor parts by the Autocrat Manufacturing Company. The Tonawanda Boat Company furnishes the boat part.

There is no doubt that hydroaeroplanes must be regarded as war vessels whose delivery to belligerent States by neutrals should be stopped under Article 8 of the Thirteenth Convention of the Second Hague Conference on Oct. 18, 1907. Hydroaeroplanes are not mentioned by name in this convention simply because there was none in 1907 at the time of the conference.

On the supposition that hydroaeroplanes are delivered to belligerents against the wishes of the Government of the United States, I have the honor to bring the foregoing to your Excellency's kind knowledge.

Accept, Mr. Secretary of State, the renewed assurance of my most distinguished high consideration.

J. BERNSTORFF.

Here is Secretary Bryan's answer to the communication from the German Ambassador, which was sent last Friday:

Department of State,
Washington, Jan. 29, 1915.

Excellency: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Your Excellency's note of the 19th instant, and in reply have to inform you that the statements contained in Your Excellency's note have received my careful consideration in view of the earnest purpose of this Government to perform every duty which is imposed upon it as a neutral by treaty stipulation and international law.

The essential statement in your note, which implies an obligation on the part of this Government to interfere in the sale and delivery of hydroaeroplanes to belligerent powers, is:

> There is no doubt that hydroaeroplanes must be regarded as war vessels whose delivery to belligerent States by neutrals should be stopped under Article 8 of the Thirteenth Convention of the second Hague Conference of Oct. 18, 1907.

As to this assertion of the character of hydroaeroplanes I submit the following comments: The fact that a hydroaeroplane is fitted with apparatus to rise from and alight upon the sea does not, in my opinion, give it the character of a vessel any more than the wheels attached to an aeroplane fitting it to rise from and alight upon land give the latter the character of a land vehicle. Though the hydroaeroplane and the aeroplane are essentially aircraft as an aid in military operations, they can only be used in the air. The fact that one starts its flight from the surface of the sea and the other from the land is a mere incident which in no way affects their aerial character.

In view of these facts I must dissent from Your Excellency's assertion that "there is no doubt that hydroaeroplanes must be regarded as war vessels," and consequently I do not regard the obligations imposed by treaty or by the accepted rules of international law applicable to aircraft of any sort.

In this connection I further call to Your Excellency's attention that according to the latest advices received by this department the German Imperial Government include "balloons and flying machines and their component parts" in the list of conditional contraband and that in the Imperial Prize Ordinance, drafted Sept. 30, 1909, and issued in The Reichs-Gesetzblatt on Aug. 3, 1914, appear as conditional contraband "airships and flying machines," (Article 23, Section 8.)

It thus appears that the Imperial Government have placed and still retain aircraft of all descriptions in the class of conditional contraband, for which no special treatment involving neutral duty is, so far as I am advised, provided by any treaty to which the United States is assignatory or adhering power.

As, in the views of this department, the provisions of Convention XIII. of the Second Hague Conference do not apply to hydroaeroplanes, I do not consider it necessary to discuss the question as to whether those provisions are in force during the present war.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

W. J. BRYAN.

SAYS GERMANS ABUSE WOUNDED PRISONERS

Neglect Is the Rule, Russian Surgeon Three Months in the Enemy's Hospitals Declares.

WORSE HURT LEFT TO DIE

German Wounded in Same Hospitals Well Cared For—Food for Russians Poor and Insufficient.

Charges that wounded Russian soldiers have been neglected and in many cases brutally treated in German military hospitals are contained in the report of a Russian army doctor which was given to THE TIMES last night by Irving C. Gaylord of 117 West Fifty-eighth Street. Mr. Gaylord said he had just received the document from his brother, who was in Russia on business. When the latter was in Petrograd he met Dr. Svegintseff of the Russian Army, who had spent nearly three months as a prisoner in various German hospitals and prisons. The doctor recounted his experiences and later put them down in the form of a report, which Mr. Gaylord's brother translated and forwarded here. Here is the document:

I was a prisoner of war in Germany from the 31st of August until the 20th of November, 1914: Eighteen days at Insterburg, at Bromberg from the 20th of September until the 28th of October, and at Straslund the remainder of the time, until the 20th of November.

When I was captured by the enemy they quickly took away from me anything that had any value or use, such as money, decorations, epaulettes, spurs, cigarettes. They robbed me of my valise, which, among other things, contained my surgical instruments. All this occurred while I was busy dressing the wounds of soldiers.

Officers and soldiers took an equal part in the robbery of valises and valuables belonging to the other prisoners. Objects of a sacred character were dragged along in the mud. Prisoners were conducted under escort for twenty miles; and those who, utterly exhausted, could not follow the convoy, were beaten and often killed with musket butts, bayonets, and guns.

At Gumbinnen I was put into a dark, humid cellar and made to sleep on a rotting and damp mattress. At Insterburg I lived in the ward of a hospital where 250 wounded, both Russians and Germans, were kept; at Bromberg in a hospital ward given up especially to wounded Russians, and at Straslund in a hospital for Russian officers who were prisoners of war. In all of these hospitals I took care of the wounded; and at Bromberg I was charged with the oversight of four barracks with about 100 wounded. I took part in or was present at operations made on Russian or German soldiers. The following is the result of my observations:

1. Wounded Russians were cared for by physicians, sisters, and especially by the ordinary attendants of the hospital in a manner quite different from the treatment given to the German wounded. The best rooms and the best linen were always given to the Germans, who received better and more abundant food. The dressing of the wounds of German soldiers was thoroughly well done; the operations always took place speedily, while operations on Russian soldiers were delayed for hours, sometimes for days. I myself saw at Insterburg a half mobile dressing which was not renewed during a week and until the day when worms appeared. The wounded man, whose limb was amputated, died of gangrene.

2. The lack of medical and surgical material was very great. The hospital at Bromberg, for 500 wounded Russians, did not have surgical instruments, and the operator was obliged to use his own. After the transfer of this surgeon, the hospital remained a week without instruments. Bandages were employed several times, and, although washed, vermin were often found in them. Hydroscopic cotton was used only for plugs. For dressings, lignine cut into square, non-sterilized pieces, was employed. Operations took place in the dressing rooms. Cases of pyemia, septicemia, and tetanus were very frequent. Dressings, and even operations, were often made by medical students without any care, and every complaint about this was met by insults.

3. The wounded were most grossly treated by the administration, and especially by the ordinary attendants, who frequently abused them. Convalescents had all the rough work to do, such as washing the floors, even when strength was not sufficient. Soldiers who were very severely wounded were almost always carried to separate barracks, where, without care, they were left to die in a pool of the wastage and corruption of their bodies.

4. The food was bad and insufficient, especially the bread, of which the daily allowance did not exceed one pound. A half pound of pork replaced ordinary meat for dinner, and followed a soup of potatoes. For luncheon or supper only a cheese, sausage, or herring sandwich was given. In the morning and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon a little cup of so-called coffee, muddy and without sugar, was given. For men who were very ill it was exceedingly difficult to obtain milk, even in very small quantities. The contractor does everything he can to keep the wounded always hungry, and thus oblige them to buy extra provisions for cash.

5. The barracks at Bromberg were of wood and often not heated, since the administration prefers to sell its coal for its own advantage. The wounded shivered under their single coverlet almost constantly, and were clothed in nightgowns suited for Summer. The wounded were sent to the camp when scarcely convalescent. Some were not even able to walk. The sentinels, placed at every corner, never failed to insult us at every opportunity.

At Straslund, as in other towns, we were badly fed and in insufficient quantity, and we paid for our own food. Washing was done only once a month, and, as the articles sent to the laundry were not always returned, we were obliged to do the washing ourselves. The population of Straslund was particularly hostile to us, and we were many times subjected to insults.

To resume my impressions, I ought to state that the German civil and military authorities never failed to make our situation as difficult as possible. The officers, and even the soldiers, insulted, spat on, and beat us, as they also did the wounded. Sometimes at night we were shut up in stables, and even straw was refused us, while in the morning we were often without water with which to wash. Money and all valuables, such as watches, rings, &c., were taken away, as well as wraps, boots, and linen. It frequently happened that money intrusted to German officers was not returned.

DR. SAROLEA COMING HERE.

Scholar and Author Will Visit Us on a Belgian Official Mission.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Dr. Charles Sarolea, the well-known Belgian scholar and author, who is at present head of the French Department of Edinburgh University, left England for Calais on his way to the front for audience of the King of the Belgians, preparatory to proceeding to America on an official mission.

Discussing his coming trip, Dr. Sarolea said to a NEW YORK TIMES correspondent today:

"My object in America will be to state in simple, unexaggerated language the Belgian case. I shall try to get into touch with all classes in America and all sections of public opinion, but I do not yet know how I shall proceed to do this."

Since the war began Dr. Sarolea has frequently been in Belgium and has been received in audience several times by King Albert.

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not occur regarding labor matters as in financial matters.

"Do you not think that this policy has been adopted because it has been the custom?" Mr. Walsh asked.

"On the contrary," replied Mr. Morgan, with a short laugh, "this policy has been adopted by the Directors because it is the natural way of running a company."

"Are not labor conditions the only matters that are not subject to some constant auditing checks in the company management?" the Chairman asked.

"If I have given the impression," the witness replied, "that we know nothing about the condition of labor in the plants it is an erroneous one, for we do know how things go on, in a general way."

Starting another tack, Mr. Walsh asked Mr. Morgan what he considered the proper length of a working day.

"I haven't any opinion on that subject," he replied.

"What do you regard as the real income for an unskilled workman?"

"There again I have no opinion."

"Do you consider $10 a week sufficient to support a longshoreman?"

"I don't know," replied the witness with one of his short, nervous laughs. "If that is all he can get and he takes it, I suppose it it enough."

The Chairman had to check a wave of laughter by threats to stop the hearing before he went on:

"At what age do you think children should go to work?"

"I haven't any opinion," was the reply; "the later the better, though, I should think."

Asked if he thought it proper for a corporation to adopt a rule limiting the age of unskilled workmen to be employed at thirty-five years and skilled at forty-five, the witness said it was a question he preferred leaving to the people running the plant.

"Do you think it a good rule socially?" Mr. Walsh insisted.

"That is a matter of opinion."

"What is your opinion?"

"I haven't any."

Mr. Morgan said that if men working for a corporation of which he was a Director were not getting money enough to support their families or working conditions bred disease he would do his best to get the conditions remedied. The Executive Committees of which he was a member had discussed labor policies many times, but not at the time of a strike, so far as he could remember. He was not sure that the employes of any of his corporations were organized, although he presumed they were on the Northern Pacific, and he understood there were organizations among the employes of the Mercantile Marine.

"What is your attitude toward labor organizations?" asked Mr. Walsh.

"I am not opposed to anything they do that is lawful and proper," said the witness, and he added that he would resent men not employed by his organizations interfering.

Steps to Allay Discontent.

Asked if he thought industrial discontent was on the increase Mr. Morgan replied that it seemed to him much had been done to decrease dissatisfaction among workmen, that the Steel Corporation had spent much money on adopting safety methods, and that sometimes wages had been increased without the workingmen asking for it.

It was at this point that Wr. Walsh wanted to know about the unequal distribution of wealth, and Mr. Morgan said the problem was too deep for him, that he preferred to leave the subject with the commission for settlement.

"Is the present industrial condition responsible for the existing poverty?" asked Mr. Walsh.

"I should say not," was the reply, and when the Chairman wanted to know what Mr. Morgan had done privately to lessen distress, the witness shook his head and said he couldn't go into that.

"I have helped where I can, as most people do," was all he would vouchsafe.

The Chairman wanted to know what the witness thought of heavily endowed foundations as a means of improving social conditions, and Mr. Morgan replied that the Rockefeller Foundation had helped a great deal in a medical way, and that the Carnegie libraries had helped many thousands.

Commissioner Weinstock read some of the testimony given by Samuel Untermyer to the effect that the railways of the country were dominated by two great financial groups, the Morgan interests and Kuhn, Loeb & Co.

"I should say that he was entirely incorrect," said Mr. Morgan emphatically. "I can't speak for Kuhn, Loeb & Co., but if we have dominated the railways of the country I haven't noticed it."

The witness said his firm had helped aailway companies in selling their securities and in giving advice when needed, but that was all. Commissioner Weinstock wanted to know if Mr. Morgan had given any study to economical matters, and the financier replied:

"I have other problems of my own to handle, and I haven't given much study to those matters."

The banker said he did not know whether the American Federation of Labor had been of any advantage to labor, but that he would be opposed to organized labor dictating who he should employ. The Commissioner here used the term "collective bargaining," which had been employed a good deal at the hearing, and Mr. Morgan wanted to know what it meant. Mr. Weinstock explained at length, and the witness said he saw no moral law involved, only a matter of convenience, and that it did not seem to deal with principles. Labor men, he said, were inclined to get in a corner by themselves and consider everything from their own viewpoint.

Says Every One Should Help.

"Most of us work in this country," said the witness. "Each one has to do his part, the employer as well as the worker. Every one has got to do what he can to help conditions. It is a matter for each man to decide for himself."

The Commissioner attempted to explain at this point the purpose of social service, and Mr. Morgan interrupted him with—

"Your purpose is admirable, but it is beyond me. I haven't got the right capacity to grasp it; otherwise I would be only too glad to help."

The other Commissioners, one by one, took Mr. Morgan in hand, but they could not lead him into the intricacies of industrial reform, and they gave up trying.

The first witness at the morning session was Amos Pinchot, who finished reading his answers to the list of questions submitted to him. Part of these replies had to do with an attack on The Associated Press, which, Mr. Pinchot said, had sent out false reports of labor troubles.

John Mitchell, who is a member of the Workmen's Compensation Commission of New York State told the needs of the workingman and the necessity for organization.

"There can and should be no permanent industrial peace unless that peace is based upon industrial righteousness," said Mr. Mitchell. "Workingmen cannot be denied the right to organize and on this, I think, depends their contentment and happiness. The industrial discontent is not necessarily an evil, but it must be a healthy, constructive discontent. It must be a constructive desire for better things, better homes, and a gradual improvement in the conditions of life and labor. This discontent among the disorganized too often shows itself in acts of rebellion and industrial revolution."

Mr. Mitchell cited the strikes at Lawrence, Paterson, and in the West Virginian coal fields as instances where the denial of the right of association led men and women to strike. If they had been allowed full freedom in organization, he thought, the strikes would not have occurred.

"There can be no permanent peace," Mr. Mitchell went on, "until workers have the right to collective bargaining for the sale of their labor. It is not enough that the heads of these corporations offer other inducements. The workers do not want gifts, but independence. They want security for their jobs, and they cannot have this without organization."

The witness said that deaths and accidents were greater in the unorganized communities. He told of the strikes in the anthracite coal regions and how conditions among the miners had improved since the settlement. He thought the best plan for a permanent settlement of labor disputes was for the companies and the representatives of the union to formulate some agreement regulating conditions.

Rockefeller Plan "Absurd."

Asked what he thought of the plan mentioned by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., as having been put into effect by the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company, whereby representatives of the men meet the officials of the company to discuss matters of mutual concern, he said:

"It is simply absurd. The men would not be free to select the men they wanted to represent them and would be sure to select the men the company wanted. Men must be organized before they can select the representatives they want."

Commissioner Weinstock asked about the call to arms made by the leaders in Colorado last year. Mr. Mitchell replied that if he had been in charge at the time he didn't think he would have issued such a call, but it was hard to say what he would have done two days after the Ludlow shooting.

The witness did not believe in incorporating labor unions, and said that unions could be held responsible in law suits without incorporation. Commissioner Garretson asked Mr. Mitchell if improvement in living conditions did not sometimes follow a refusal to obey unjust laws, and the answer Mr. Mitchell made caused a loud cheer from the audience.

"I think every improvement in government since history began has been because of the refusal to obey laws," he said. "The establishment of the American Republic was on account of the refusal to obey law."

Among the witnesses to be examined today are E. T. Costigan, attorney for the Colorado miners; Jerome D. Greene, Executive Secretary of the Rockefeller Foundation, and Wallace Butterick, Executive Secretary of the General Education Board.

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the Senate and the Ways and Means Committee of the Assembly, at which all of the Workmen's Compensation Commissioners and the heads of the departments of the commission will present their views. Commissioner Dowling will submit a statement denying the State Controller's charge of extravagance, and he will deliver to the joint committees three budgets showing how, in his opinion, the business of the commission may be administered on $40,000, $50,000, and $60,000 a month. Mr. Dowling said yesterday that for the administration to be completely efficient $60,000 a month, under the present law, would be necessary, but he was prepared to carry on the work as well as possible on either of the other proposed allowances.

To show that the commission has not employed too many persons, as has been charged, Mr. Dowling will display affidavits in which employes swear to the demand on them for excessive hours of work. It has been the contention of the commission that each one of the 320 persons on the payroll has earned more than his salary in time given and work accomplished.

Mr. Dowling was told complaints had been heard that the commission was far behind in the awarding of compensations, and that this was due to disorganization and incompetence in the offices. That either disorganization or incompetence existed the Commissioner denied, and he asserted that the payment of compensations had been as prompt as was possible in every case.

The Insurance Fund, according to its managers and the commission, should solve the problem of legislative appropriation. The commission wants $60,000 a month to support itself, and the Legislature wants to give it $40,000. From $15,000 to $20,000 of the $60,000 is wanted for the support of the Insurance Fund, which, by law, must be supported by the State until Jan. 1, 1917. But the fund will be able to support itself after July 1, 1915, in the opinion of the Commissioners and the managers of the fund, and the commission wants the Legislature to give it $60,000 a month from now until next July, and then, by amending the law, make the fund self-supporting and allow the commission $40,000 a month.

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dropping their filibuster altogether and confident in their own strength, fought to bring on the vote, which they felt certain would carry.

Mr. Stone, recovering his poise, called his followers together by a motion to lay on the table Mr. Clarke's motion to recommit the bill. The Administration Democrats showed relief at this device to avoid a direct vote on Mr. Clarke's motion. Mr. Williams of Mississippi expressed their feeling by clapping his hands, in violation of the rules of the Senate.

But the motion to table was defeated 42 to 44. The return of Mr. Bryan and Mr. Smith of Georgia to the party lines reduced by 4 votes the majority that had overridden the Vice President's ruling, while the arrival of Mr. La Follette of Wisconsin, a progressive Republican favoring certain aspects of the bill, gave the Democrats an additional vote.

Democrats Turn Filibusters.

The question then reverted to the motion to recommit. The Democrats sought refuge in debate, filibustering. Mr. Reed of Missouri launched into a denunciation of the opponents of the President's bill.

"Because of the votes here this afternoon," he said, "our old friend, the Shipping Trust, I suppose, will congratulate itself, as it has often had occasion to congratulate itself in the past."

He continued in this strain for an hour. Then Mr. Fletcher took the floor. He appealed furiously to his partisans to free the commerce of the country from the tax put upon it by the Shipping Trust. As he concluded he moved a recess. That would have brought on a renewal of the old fight against a continuous sitting, and his colleagues suggested informally that he change his motion to one for a straight-out adjournment, and this he did. Mr. Clarke interposed with the hope that the motion would prevail, and it did.

Democrats tonight were going over all the amendments proposed by the radical Republicans in the hope of finding some that could be accepted without estranging certain Democrats like Mr. Smith of Georgia, but found it a difficult task. The radical Republicans want the measure passed in a form insuring a permanent Government ownership of a public utility—a definite step toward State socialism. The Democrats hesitate to support any except a temporary measure to meet an emergency.

By the adoption of amendments, the Democrats hope to win over among the Republicans Mr. La Follette, Mr. Kenyon, Mr. Norris, and maybe Mr. Cummins. There is little hope of winning back any of the Democrats. They hope that a vote on the motion to recommit will be considered as coming within the President's demand for action on the bill and dissuade him from calling an extra session, in which, though the Democratic majority in the Senate would be increased, the Democratic margin of control in the House would be cut to a handful.

Today's coup was planned at a meeting of Democratic opponents of the bill in the committee room of Mr. Hitchcock of Nebraska. Most of the seven Democrats who voted in opposition on the test ballot attended the meeting. The rather casual Democratic leadership had counted only three Democrats in possible opposition—Mr. Hardwick of Georgia, Mr. Camden of Kentucky, and Mr. Vardaman of Mississippi.

The bolting Senators decided that the filibuster, which threatened to cut off all opportunity for legislation they favored, had gone far enough. They conferred with Republican Senators, and these, under the careful guidance of Mr. Root, Mr. Gallinger and Mr. Lodge, planned the final stroke. The Democratic leaders had vague intimations during the morning that something was afoot, but they admitted this evening that the blow had swept them off their feet.

Friends of the Administration were indignant tonight over the course of Senator Clarke. They said that his attitude was particularly open to criticism because he had been one of the Congressional leaders called into conference by President Wilson to agree on the terms of the ship purchase measure, and had, in fact, assisted in drafting its provisions. Members of the Administration are greatly concerned over the situation in the Senate which is likely to result in a marked defeat for the President, personally and politically, in a body that is controlled by Democratic votes.

BRYAN DENIES SHIP PROTEST.

Republicans in House Insist an Informal One Was Made.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Secretary Bryan made a statement today, in answer to questions by newspaper men, which amounted to notice to Great Britain that while the Ship Purchase bill was pending in Congress it was none of the business of a foreign nation how President Wilson intended to exercise the power to purchase merchant ships if he obtained authority to do so. This statement was made in connection with a denial from Mr. Bryan that a protest had been filed by a foreign Government against the passage of the bill.

Mr. Bryan's declaration furnished the text for a lively political skirmish in the House of Representatives, during which Mr. Gardner of Massachusetts said he had positive information from an official source to sustain the view that certain representations had been made by the British Government to the United States in connection with the ship purchase legislation. Mr. Bryan was virtually accused of misrepresentation, and one member said he had been guilty of chicanery. In response to questions, based on his denial that a protest had been made, Mr. Bryan declined to go into details.

In the debate in the House the Administration was sharply criticised for its attitude on the Ship Purchase bill. Representative Underwood, the Democratic leader, came to the defense of the President and the Secretary of State, and altogether the House had a lively time of it.

Mr. Bryan's denial that any foreign nation had made a protest in connection with the bill was made to newspaper men this morning. He repeated it this afternoon when he was asked questions designed to make clearer the scope of the denial. Mr. Bryan showed anger over these inquiries, and declined to amplify his statement to any appreciable degree. He refused to discuss the reports that the British Ambassador had informally indicated to this Government that if wholesale purchases of German or Austrian merchant ships were made by the United States, Great Britain would find such sales objectionable and in conflict with the neutral position proclaimed by this Government.

Mr. Bryan's Denial.

When Secretary Bryan was asked this afternoon whether he would make any statement in regard to the reports that there had been exchanges with the British Government in regard to the proposed purchase of merchant ships by the United States he made this answer:

"I have no statement to make except that which was given out this morning, namely: No nation has protested against the passage of the Shipping bill, and it is not likely that any nation will or would, since that bill does not necessarily raise a diplomatic question.

"If you desire to ask whether I would make any answer to inquiries in regard to this matter, I will say that this department does not think it proper to discuss with any nation the manner in which the authority will or should be exercised, if conferred."

Herewith are further questions put to Mr. Bryan and his answers to them:

Q.—That is the authority to buy these ships? A.—Yes. How that authority will be exercised if conferred. The department assumes that if the authority is conferred it will be exercised by the President and those associated with him in a proper manner, and with due regard for the nation's welfare.

Q.—I do not think that the original statement in the newspapers in regard to an alleged British representation said there had been any protests made. A.—I am not responsible for any statement made on that subject.

Q.—You say that you have had no discussion with any representative of any foreign Government? A.—I am not willing to discuss with any foreign Government the manner in which the power, if conferred, will be exercised.

Q.—Has the department received, upon its request, an expression of views on the general question of ship purchase? A.—The department has not requested of any Government an expression of opinion as to how the President should exercise that authority if it is given.

Q.—I do not think the reports which started this discussion while you were away stated that there had been any discussion. A.—I am speaking of the manner in which the authority would be exercised if conferred—that is, the authority to purchase the ships.

Seeks Source of Rumor.

Q.—It would be impossible for a foreign Government to discuss that? A.—Yes, certainly. I do not care to discuss with the newspaper men any more than with foreign Governments the manner in which that authority will be exercised. I do not care to discuss now questions that are not connected with this particular proposition, since the newspapers are attempting them with this proposition.

Q.—While you were away the statement was made that the British Ambassador had said to you that the British Government looked upon the transfer of any vessel of those now interned in American ports—German and Austrian vessels—as an unneutral act. A.—Did you get that statement from me?

Q.—No. A.—Go to the person who gave you the statement and let him confirm it. I do not intend that men shall get statements from others concerning State Department matters and then come to me for confirmation. I do not intend to discuss a statement like that; it did not come from me; if anybody in the State Department gave out that statement, you may go to him. Neither do I think it the duty of the State Department to confirm or deny a statement given out also here. I have stated the attitude of this department on this question. I do not think it is proper for us to discuss how the authority will be exercised if it is conferred.

Q.—The only ship up so far is the Dacia? A.—They have attempted to connect the Dacia with the Ship Purchase bill, that is not my fault.

Q.—Those last reports give something distinct and separate from the Dacia. A.—We have not felt it proper to discuss that.

Q.—What representations have you had? A.—It is premature to discuss that question.

Row in the House.

In the House debate today, Mr. Underwood denied categorically all statements as to a British protest and said that his interpretation of the statement made to him by the State Department was that here was no communication or representation or any kind whatsoever on the subject from the British Government, while the controversy was at white heat. Representative Cullop of Indiana called the State Department on telephone and was told that Secretary Bryan had today given out a statement to the press that denied the report absolutely. He said that no nation had objected to the purchase by this Government of the interned ships.

The controversy was brought on by a challenge from Mr. Humphrey of Washing.

"Since I came on this floor within the last two minutes," he said, "I have been informed by a member of this House that he received the information directly from the British Embassy that recently a communication was presented to the State Department by the British Ambassador setting forth the attitude of the British Government in the matter of the purchase of the interned German vessels."

To this Mr. Underwood said:

"Referring to a charge made last week in the House that Sir Edward Grey had written to the State Department protesting against the purchase of these interned German ships," he said, "I stated then, and I state now, that I telephoned to the State Department and asked for information as to whether such a letter existed. I was advised by that department that it had no such letter, and that department further asked me to deny on the floor of the House that there was such a communication. I do not question for a minute that is true. Whether other communications have been received I have no knowledge.

"It has only been a few months ago," said he, "when gentlemen from the Republican side of the House were severely criticising the President of the United States because he did not commit himself to acts that would have involved this country in actual warfare.

"The President of the United States would be the last man in the United States to involve the country in a war. I don't believe that there is a man on the Republican side who will stand in his place and declare that if this bill becomes a law the President would commit an overt act under its terms which would involve this country in unfriendly terms with any other country in the world. If that is the case, isn't it unwise on the floor of the House to agitate the question in this way?"

Humphrey Makes Charge.

Mr. Humphrey charged that it was the purpose to buy the German ships. He said:

"No one on this side has criticised the President or in any way reflected on him. But the man who is going to be at the head of this Ship Purchasing Board is Secretary McAdoo, and he is the man who stated before the committee that they intended to purchase these German ships. I think that for the sake of saving a few dollars in freight, they purpose to bring us into the very shadow of war."

Representative Gardner declared that a communication from the British Government in regard to the Ship Purchase bill was in the State Department. He said:

"I assert it was there," he said, "although I do not believe the State Department knew it, and I believe they were acting honestly. That communication went to the Secretary of State; he did not communicate it to the State Department, but instead went off on one of his lecture tours.

"If the President is blamed he has only himself to blame. He has only got to say to the American people, 'I will not buy these interned ships' and he will end the criticism in a moment's time."

Representative Mann said:

"The real question here is whether the State Department can furnish information to the Floor Leader of this House and have the information spread over the land which, while technically true, is in fact untrue."

Representative Underwood was asked by Representative Gardner to call up Secretary Bryan and ask if a protest had not been made by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice. To this Mr. Underwood answered that Representative Cullop had received a sweeping denial to the protest story.

SHIP BILL AND PRO-GERMANS.

Neutrality Resolution a Revelation, Intimates London Times.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Feb. 2.—Several of the morning papers make a feature of the editorial in THE NEW YORK TIMES concerning the proposed organization of German-Americans to obtain the "genuine neutrality" of the United States. The Times, commenting on the movement, remarks:

"The resolutions which the meeting adopted strip the last rag from the contention that the purchase of the interned German ships could be regarded as a neutral act. If it were of that character why should these avowed enemies of the Allies be so eager to have it adopted?

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J. CARRANZA SHOT BY ZAPATA LEADER

First Chief's Brother and Two of His Staff Executed by Santibanez.

HIS SON DIES WITH HIM

Santibanez's Family Said to be Prisoners of Constitutionalists, Who May Retaliate.

LAREDO, Texas, Feb. 1.—Gen. Jesus Carranza and his son, Abelardo, and Ignacio Peraldi, members of his staff, were executed by Gen. Santibanez, a former Constitutionalist General, who went over to Zapata, according to a telegram received by the widow of Gen. Carranza from the First Chief at Vera Cruz.

Mrs. Carranza, who is a refugee here, in announcing the death of her husband, said that Gen. Venustiano Carranza had telegraphed her he would send troops to recover the body.

Gen. Jesus Carranza and his staff were taken prisoners recently near San Geronimo, on the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. The members of the staff, according to reports, were executed immediately. Jesus Carranza, his son, Abelardo, and Peraldi, the latter also a relative, were held prisoners for a time by Santibanez, who demanded as the price of their safety that Venustiano Carranza cease operations in that territory.

The father, mother, wife, and other members of Gen. Santibanez's family were recently reported captured in the State of Jalapa and sent to Vera Cruz, where the Constitutionalists said they would hold them pending the disposition of Jesus Carranza.

Jesus Carranza was executed because his brother refused to pardon Santibanez and receive him again as one of his Generals. Advices received here from Vera Cruz soon after the capture of the First Chief's brother said Santibanez warned Gen. Venustiano Carranza that Jesus Carranza would be executed unless Santibanez was restored to his command and Constitutionalist troops which had been operating against him were recalled.

It was said then that the First Chief's reply was that his brother was willing to die for the cause if necessary, and that he (Venustiano Carranza) would have to see him die rather than pardon Santibanez.

MEXICO'S WATER MAINS CUT.

Part of Zapatistas' Campaign Against the Capital.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The State Department was today notified by John R. Silliman, its Special Agent in Mexico City, that the main supply of water to the City of Mexico had been cut by the Zapatistas, but that this was merely an inconvenience, as the city had an adequate supply of water from other sources to meet its necessities for the present. The dispatch said that on Friday night there was some firing in the southern suburbs. As was expected, Gen. Obregon found on his arrival in the capital that he must deal with the Zapatistas, who withdrew toward the southern suburbs and will probably continue the same sort of guerrilla warfare against the Carranza operation of the capital that they carried on against the Huerta Government.

The State Department has advices, dated Jan. 30, with reference to the situation around Monterey, from which it would appear that Gen. Angeles has driven all the opposing forces away from Monterey and adjoining towns. Good order is said to prevail, and the department is informed that "foreigners have not been subjected to any unjust or unpleasant treatment since the occupation of Monterey by the forces of Gen. Angeles."

The department is informed that the troops of Gen. Villa are advancing on Pierras Negras and that they are repairing the railroad between Monclova and Barroteran as they advance. The track had been torn up by the forces of Carranza.

DIPLOMATS ARE PUZZLED.

Don't Wish to Leave Mexico City, but Have No One with Whom to Treat

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 1.—So far the members of the diplomatic corps have not considered the question of removal to Vera Cruz, and that matter has not been brought to their attention. If the suggestion comes the diplomates will probably meet, exchange views, and decide on their action collectively.

When the First Chief transferred the seat of his authority to Vera Cruz the diplomatic corps was invited to accompany him, but after discussion, decided to remain here and treat with any de factor authority that might be established. Now quite a new complexion is placed on the matter by the fact that Mexico City has been reoccupied in Carranza's name, and yet no Governmental department has been set up with which the diplomats can treat.

For the present, however, unless a new suggestion is received, they will probably observe a waiting attitude, at the same time keeping their Governments advised of the situation.

It was said this afternoon at the Constitutionalist military headquarters that officers had arrived from Irapuato asserted positively that Villa had been killed by Fierro, not merely wounded.

Special importance is attached to Gen. Dieuguez's dispatches regarding the takingof Guadalajara. They indicated the complete rout of the Conventionists and the capture of large quantities of war material by the Constitutionalists.

NEW WILSON AGENT IN MEXICO

Duval West of Texas Says the Post Has Been Offered to Him.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 1.—Duval West of San Antonio started for Washington tonight in response, he said, to a summons from President Wilson, who had offered him the post of the Executive's personal representative in Mexico. The offer, Mr. West said, came through Attorney General Gregory.

"I was informed that I had been selected to go to Mexico in the interest of peace," he said.

Mr. West, a former Assistant United States District Attorney, spent several years in Mexico, and is reckoned an authority of that country.

ONE MORE MEXICAN REVOLT.

Cientificos Launch a Movement Against Carranza and Villa.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 1.—A movement directed against the Carranza and Villa elements in Mexico has been launched by the Cientifico party, which supported the Diaz and Huerta régime, according to information received here today.

The new movement is said to have received the adherence of many former wealthy landowners.

HUNTING DOWN ZAPATISTAS.

Carranza's Men Expect the Fall of Their Morelos Stronghold.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

VERA CRUZ, Feb. 1.—The Carranza campaign against the Zapatistas is proceeding with success in the State of Morelos. Yautepec, the headquarters of Zapata, is expected to fall in a few days.

The regular train service to Mexico City will be resumed on Wednesday.

HOTEL THIEF CHOSE GEMS WHILE DINING

Noted Bejeweled Women at Table, Then Robbed Their Rooms at Leisure.

BETRAYED BY JILTED GIRL

Long Chase for Man Accused of Big New York Thefts Ends in Philadelphia.

After a hunt which lasted for weeks and took him as far west as Ann Arbor, Mich., Detective Sergt. John T. Maddock of the Fourth Branch yesterday arrested in a Philadelphia hotel Ernest J. Shandau, known as Elmer J. Smith, alleged to have operated in some of the best hotels in New York and to have stolen money and jewelry to the amount of nearly $40,000.

The robbery for which Shandau was arrested was in the apartment of Surgeon Albert Goodman, U. S. N., in the Manhattan Square Hotel, 50 West Seventy-seventh Street, on the night of Nov. 8 last. Shandau, according to the police, registered in the hotel three days before the robbery and got a room across the corridor from Dr. Goodman's apartment. Then, in the surgeon's absence, he got in by means of a skeleton key and took jewelry worth about $2,000.

Sergt. Maddock and other detectives got on the trail, and followed Schandau to Ann Arbor, then back to Paterson, N. J., then to Baltimore, and at last to Philadelphia.

The arrest there, it is said, was due to information furnished by an actress with whom Shandau was once in love and later quarreled, who telephoned to the Philadelphia police on Sunday night that Shandau was coming to a certain hotel in that city. The next morning detectives arrested him in his room. The police say he made a confession covering methods and details of his hotel robberies.

Shandau was accustomed to stay at the best hotels and to appear in the dining room every evening in evening dress. His training for the part, it is said, was picked up when he was a chauffeur for William K. Vanderbilt. Each evening at dinner he would note the best-dressed and most bejeweled women, would obtain introductions when possible, and find out the rooms they occupied and when they dined. Then, after a few days, when he had seen his intended victim settled in the dining room, he would slip upstairs with a skeleton key and enter the apartments he had selected to rob.

One robbery with which he is blamed was committed on Jan. 8, when a thief entered the rooms at the Savoy Hotel, occupied by D. N. Hanson of Chicago, a member of the firm of Mason & Hanson, dealers in woolens, at 79 Spring Street, and stole several thousand dollars' worth of jewelry.

But all his work, Shandau is alleged to have said, was of no avail, for he spent it all on two New York girls, one of whom betrayed him upon learning of her successful rival. The police, however, have seized in Philadelphia and Washington, twenty-eight suits of well tailored clothes belonging to the prisoner.

According to the police Shandau was arrested and sentenced to one year in prison, while employed as Mr. Vanderbilt's chauffeur, on the charge of signing Mr. Vanderbilt's name to orders for automobile tires.

The principal hotel robberies in the past six months, aside from those in the Manhattan Square and the Savoy, took place in the Seville and the Claridge. On Sept. 15 the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Jordan Rosas of Bolivia, in the Hotel Seville, was entered by some one who got away with $5,000 worth of jewelry, a letter of credit for $6,000, and two steamer tickets to Colon. No arrests were made.

On Dec. 17 Mary Fennelly, a maid at the Claridge, was arrested on the charge of grand larceny in connection with a series of robberies totaling about $3,000, and including $700 worth of furs from Miss Blanche Ring and $1,000 worth of jewelry from Mme. Elsie Kucherra. The woman said that she had furnished a pass-key to a male accomplice, who entered the apartments when she had ascertained that the tenants were out.

BLAMED FOR DEFEAT OF 48.

The Menace Beat Democratic Congressmen, Committee Is Told.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Before the House Post Office Committee today Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts declared that forty-eight of the fifty-three Democratic members of the House who lost their seats last November were defeated by The Menace, an anti-Catholic organ published in Missouri. The occasion was a hearing on three bills to authorize the Postmaster General to bar from the mails scandalous, scurrilous and libelous publications. One of these bills was introduced by Representative Fitzgerald of New York and two by Representative Gallivan. Neither mentioned the anti-Catholic phase before the committee today. Representative Maher of New York enlightened the committee as to this element of the situation.

The Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim of the Epiphany Episcopal Church of this city, the Rev. G. F. Williams of Washington, S. B. Horton, Secretary of the Columbia Religious Liberty Organization, and W. L. Buegan, a Seventh Day Adventist, were heard in opposition to the bills. Dr. McKim declared the bills an attack on a free press.

TRY 1,100 FOR BRIBERY.

Kentucky Court Considers Charges of Wholesale Election Fraud.

PIKEVILLE, Ky., Feb. 1.—The trial of 1,100 voters who are charged with bribery at the election of last November was begun at a special term of the Circuit Court here today. More than 2,000 indictments were returned in the various counties of Eastern Kentucky against persons who, it is alleged, purchased and cast fraudulent votes.

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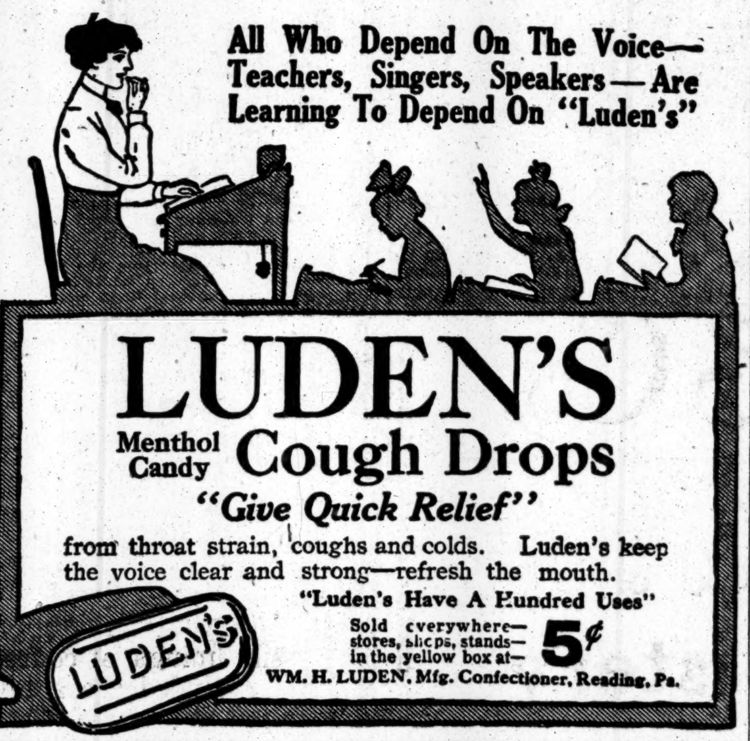

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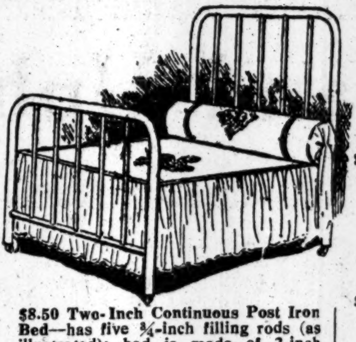

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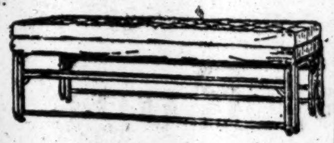
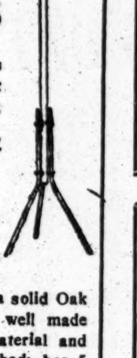


$4.75 Couch Bed with Mattress (as illustrated)—this couch can be separated so as to make two separate couches; it has a National spring; at $2.45



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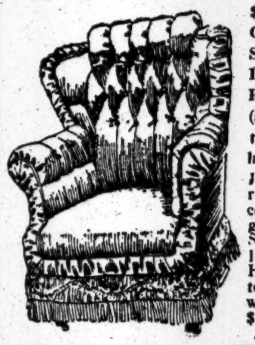

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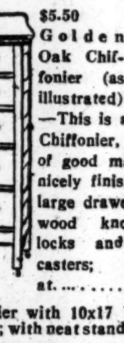

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ANNEX BUILDING—HOME FURNISHINGS

February Picture Sale!
A Remarkable Offering Today of
Genuine Oil Paintings
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Excellent Values in Two Grades. Absolutely Perfect Goods. Marked Reductions in Price for Today.

Inlaid Linoleums—choice selection in pretty tile effects and attractive colorings—
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4 yds. wide; 60c grade; square yard 36c
2 yards wide; 50c grade, square yard 33c

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DOUBLE-BREASTED ULSTERS, FORM-FITTING SINGLE- AND DOUBLE-BREASTED COATS, POPULAR CHESTERFIELDS, BALMACAANS and "staple" styles for those who like to dress conservatively.

Beautiful shawl, velvet or self-collars.

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34th and 35th Streets New York

SKILLED MEN EAGER FOR 50 CENTS A DAY

More Than 250 Gather in the Rain for a Chance to Work in Heavenly Rest Church.

FEW LOAFERS AMONG THEM

Applicants for Meagre Pay Include College Graduates Who Have Earned Large Salaries.

In the driving rain of yesterday morning more than 250 men waited outside the back entrance of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Forty-fourth Street, near Fifth Avenue, for a chance to work; to work, too, for 50 cents a day and one meal. There were artists in that crowd; there were skilled artisans of many kinds; there were painters, there were coachmen, there were chauffeurs, there were cooks and chefs, there were college men. There were men who in ordinary times have easily made $4 a day, $150 a month, or even $5,000 a year. Yet entrance to the basement of the church meant more than mere deliverance from starvation. It meant a chance to work.

Each one of them has his opinion of "psychological" hard times. The Rev. Herbert Shipman, the pastor of the church, has his opinion, too. He believed in the hard times, but not in the psychology, and he said so yesterday.

Inside the room a reporter early in the afternoon found 215 men hard at work, and happy over it. They had just had a full meal—soup made in the Ritz-Carlton kitchen, pork and beans, bread-and-butter sandwiches, and coffee, and they were smiling, most of them, and laughing and actually joking as their fingers flew busily, fashioning bandages, compresses, and drains, to be sent to the aid of the wounded in the great European war. Forty others had been turned away in the morning because they could not be taken care of.

In looking over the men one was struck with the fact that most of them were typical Americans; many of them were young; all were energetic. Out of the first sixty who had been questioned as to their occupations three were artists, one was a butler, one a bookkeeper, one a butcher, one a baker, one a bootmaker, nine were coachmen, five were chauffeurs, five were cooks or chefs, fifteen were clerks, one was a carpenter. thirteen were drivers, one was a boilermaker, one a structural iron-worker. Mr. Shipman said that one of the applicants for work at the church was a sculptor who had exhibited in one of the best-known salons in the world. And of those classed as artists one, at least, has had pictures in the magazines. Of house-painters there were many.

The workroom at the Church of the Heavenly Rest is a comparatively new institution, and Mr. Shipman said the idea was taken from St. Bartholomew's Church, where the applicants for aid became so numerous that a building was obtained from the city for a dispensary and workshop.

"We started here only two weeks ago last Saturday with twenty-one men," said Mr. Shipman. "In a week we had 264. We have been averaging 210 a day, and had that number yesterday. They begin lining up about 8 o'clock in the morning, and they work from 10 until 3, receiving 10 cents an hour for their work. The food is donated, the Ritz-Carlton Hotel furnishing all the soup we can use. On two occasions we have been presented with pies. We have pretty much the same crowd of men every day.

"As an instance that these men do not come here because the times are hard merely 'psychologically,'" added Mr. Shipman earnestly, "I must tell you that of all the applicants we have had, only three have been men who might be classed as 'bums,' or who bore traces of being habitual drunkards. That bright-looking youngster you see there was a pupil of mine at Trinity School. That boy was a hotel clerk. The father of one is a Captain in the army. The majority of those here, in fact, are skilled workmen. Some are machinists. We have one man who used to be a floor-walker in a big department store. I know of at least three college men who are here.

"Why are they here? They cannot get work. We have succeeded in placing a few. Only last Saturday we got jobs for a plumber and five painters.

"Usually they are downcast when they first come, but after the first day they begin to brighten up. One old Scotchman was crying when he arrived. And many of these men would not take mere charity. There have been numerous incidents to prove it. Here is one instance:

"Sometimes the men are given a banana or an apple when they leave. One man declined to take the apple proffered him.

"'But why? You like apples, do you not?' he was asked.

"'I do,' he replied, 'but I know this whole thing is charity. For five hours I have worked, and I think I have earned the 50 cents pay. But that apple would be pure charity. I have not earned it, and I cannot take it.'

"Our 'foremen' here have been women of the parish and others, for this work is undenominational. Between thirty and forty women have been giving their time to superintending the work. No offering for the work has been taken in the church. The whole thing is supported by voluntary contributions.

"The bandages and the other things, as you see, are carefully made up. Then they are sent to the Presbyterian Hospital to be sterilized, and then they come back here to be packed up and sent to the Red Cross for shipment. Here you see a case which is ready to be sent to Servia. We tear up about 3,000 yards of lint a day here.

"Many people seem to have the idea that the Municipal Lodging House is taking care of all the poor," said Mr. Shipman with a smile. "I know a woman who with her husband went down there and came to that conclusion. Unfortunately the facts are otherwise. I know, for instance, that at the Diocesan House they are taking care of 395, and have had to turn away 100 others. St. Bartholomew's parish is taking care of 500 at the house it gets from the city. and our capacity is taxed here. Many of these men have families. Unfortunately, the present crisis has broken up many families. Of course, 50 cents does not go far; but it is something. Then the men have after 3 o'clock to look about in their search for work."

MR. FISH QUOTES "FATHER."

Cites an Old Ruling in Protest to Unyielding Assembly Speaker.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—"Father says he never heard of such a thing," Assemblyman Hamilton Fish, Jr., Progressive of Putnam, told Speaker Sweet tonight when the Speaker refused to excuse the former Harvard gridiron star from service on the Assembly Excise Committee, which is not regarded in the parlance of members as "a high-brow body."

The young Westchester Assemblyman two weeks ago tried to resign from the committee and was chided by Speaker Sweet. He was armed tonight with an opinion from his father, Hamilton Fish, Sr., who was for several terms Speaker of the Assembly. Young Fish also read a personal letter from Speaker Champ Clark of the House of Representatives, asserting that it was customary in Congress for members to resign from committees whenever they desired, and that he knew of no precedent for Speaker Sweet's ruling.

"The only decent thing you can do is to excuse me," Fish said.

The Speaker showed that he was perturbed. He repeated his determination not to relieve Mr. Fish.

"In the past," said the Speaker, "members of this Assembly have been men enough to do their duty and accept their assignments to committees. I refer their course to the gentleman of the minority. He was designated last year by Mr. Schaap, leader of his party representation, and I reassigned him this year for that reason. I refuse to relieve him."

"I hope the Speaker doesn't mean that I am not much of a man," replied Mr. Fish, drawing himself up to his full six feet two "This is a matter of principle with me. I don't want to serve on the Excise Committee because I don't like the work. Father says I don't have to serve and Speaker Clark says so. I won't serve."

EXTENDS WHITE SLAVE ACT.

Supreme Court Rules That Woman May Be Held for Conspiracy.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The United States Supreme Court today declared that women who were objects of conspiracy to violate the White Slave act might also be principals in the conspiracy and be punished as such. This opinion, which was reached by a division of 7 to 2 in the Supreme Bench, is expected to prove an effective check to numberless complaints made to the Department of Justice for the blackmailing of men charged with violating the law.

The case was that of the United States as plaintiff in error vs. Clara Holte in error to the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Wisconsin. The indictment was for conspiracy by Clara Holte with one Laudenscheger to transport the woman from Illinois into Wisconsin for immoral purposes.

"Suppose for instance," said Mr. Justice Holmes, in presenting the opinion of the court, "that a professional prostitute, as well able to look out for herself as was the man, should suggest and carry out a journey within the act of 1910 in the hope of blackmailing the man and should buy the railroad tickets, or should pay the fare from Jersey City to New York, she would be within the letter of the act of 1910, and we see no reason why the act should not be held to apply.

"We see equally little reason for not treating the preliminary agreement as a conspiracy that the law can reach, if we abandon the illusion that the woman always is the victim. The words of the statute punish the transportation of a woman for the purpose of prostitution, even if she were the first to suggest the crime. The substantive offense might be committed without the woman's consent, for instance, if she were drugged or taken by force."

Mr. Justice Day and Mr. Justice Lamar dissented.

WAR PRISONER SEEKS WIFE.

Bernhardt, Held in England, Asks Police Here to Help Him.

Max F. Schmittberger, Chief Inspector of Police, received a letter yesterday from a German who said he was a prisoner of war at Lancaster, England. The letter is dated Jan. 3, 1915, No. 825, Fifteenth Company.

The writer says he is Karl Bernhardt, and that he was made a prisoner soon after the war started. He asks the New York police to help him find his wife and 8-year-old son Karl, who left Germany to come to the United States soon after war was declared. The Inspector said last night that he would make inquiries through the Board of Education in an effort to find the prisoner's wife and child.

$115,000 TO GIVE WORK TO JOBLESS

Mayor's Committee Opens Shops Where Men and Women Are Employed.

FUND OF $300,000 NEEDED

Astor Among Prominent Men Added to the Committee—I. W. W. Declares a Moratorium.

With $115,000 obtained through voluntary contributions, the Mayor's Committee on Unemployment opened shops yesterday in which 500 men were set to work for five hours each. In addition three workshops for women were started, in which each woman sewed clothing for 15 cents an hour. At noon luncheon was served to the women workers, and when they had finished their tasks they were permitted to take home with them to their families all the clothes which they had sewed.

Ex-Judge Elbert H. Gary, Chairman of the Mayor's Committee, announced last night that within two days the number of men put to work in the men's workshops will be increased from 500 to 2,500. Of this number 1,000 will be employed in Brooklyn.

The work for men pays 72 cents a day plus a luncheon, for which 3 cents is deducted. The men may repair their own shoes, if they wish to, and at the end of the day will be permitted to take away both the shoes and the wages for working on them. Those who have no need to repair their shoes will be permitted to roll bandages out of cloth that has been contributed to the Mayor's committee. The completed bandages will be sent as a gift to hospitals.

"The extent of this work and the length of time we may be able to keep it up," said Mr. Gary, "depends entirely upon the response of the citizens who are able to give money toward it. We are starting it with a fund of $115,000. This fund ought to be swelled at the earliest possible moment to $300,000. We need contributions and need them badly, and every one able to give ought to respond at this time."

The driving rain yesterday did not keep those in need of food away from the bread line at the Hotel Knickerbocker. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon 500 men were hugging the sides of buildings in East Forty-first Street to get what protection they could from the rain, and at 3 o'clock, when the hot coffee with milk and sugar and the sausage rolls were ready for them, the line had swelled to 700 men. The women, of whom twenty or more had been present on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, turned out in increased numbers.

Two women guests of the Knickerbocker distributed raincoats and shoes among the women who had applied for food.

A rent strike for the unemployed was advocated on red circulars sent broadcast over the city yesterday by the I. W. W.. These circulars declared a "moratorium" also on all debts "until the jobs come round."

A plan of the I. W. W. to have members march to the police stations with a demand "for beds or bread" was discussed by that organization last night. The leaders sought, it was said, to get enough followers to join them to swamp the jails in case arrests should follow the demand.

HOTELS TO AID "BUNDLE DAY."

Special Storerooms Provided for Clothing for the Needy.

Many of the principal hotels promised their aid yesterday in making "Bundle Day," which is next Thursday, a success. The instructions of the Bundle Day Committee were that bundles should be left at express offices, railroad stations, school houses, or police stations, where they would be collected by the Bundle Day Committee and sent to the headquarters of the committee in the Mark Cross Building at 210 Fifth Avenue. The hotel guests asked that they be permitted to leave their bundles with the hotel porters, as that was the most convenient way. In some hotels special storerooms were opened for the reception of bundles.

Lucius M. Boomer, manager of the Hotel McAlpin, had notices printed which he hung in every room in the hotel inviting the occupant to search for articles of clothing which might be spared from trunks or wardrobe. Mr. Boomer received pledges of at least a vanload of bundles.

The Bundle Day Committee continued the work yesterday of putting the Mark Cross Building into shape for the men and women who will be employed to remake the clothes, which will arrive after next Thursday.

Hats, shoes, rubbers, underwear, and all other sorts of clothing are needed for the unemployed. Mrs. James Speyer, the Chairman of the committee, issued a special plea yesterday that children should not be forgotten. Those who live in the suburbs may send their bundles to the headquarters direct through the courtesy of the railroad companies, all of whom have volunteered to assist the work by transporting the bundles immediately.

Theatregoers will have their attention called directly to Bundle Day on Wednesday, when special tags will be issued at the afternoon and evening performances. At all the moving picture shows nightly Mayor Mitchel's appeal in behalf of Bundle Day is being flashed on the screens.

LOST A WEEK, HE RETURNS.

Ogden Kilmer Found, but Is Said to Have Lost $1,500.

Ogden Kilmer, the private secretary to an official of the Hudson and Manhattan Railway Company, who disappeared from his home in Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., a week ago, has returned. He is said to be ill.

Mr. Kilmer insists that he can recall nothing from the time he reached New York until late last night, when he found himself on Fifth Avenue. He went to the Erie terminal, Jersey City, where two friends found him and took him home. It is said that $1,500 which he carried when he disappeared, is gone.

PUT UNDER CHARGES FOR DOUBLE'S CRIME

Another Admits Collecting Fake Fines for Which Court Officer Was Suspended.

POSED AS PROBATION AGENT

Woman Identified Real Offender Who Collected Money When Her Boy Was Arrested.

The City Magistrates have received many complaints in the last few months from parents who have told of paying to men they supposed to be probation officers small sums as fines for their children only to learn afterward that the youngsters had been discharged without a fine in the Children's Court. The descriptions of the supposed probation officer tallied in every case, and it was evident that one man was making a living by swindling the parents of youngsters who got into trouble with the police.

Yesterday two mothers identified as the culprit an attendant in one of the courts, and notwithstanding his protests he was suspended and ordered to face charges today before Chief Magistrate McAdoo. He probably will be exonerated, for last night a man almost the exact counterpart of the court attendant was arrested, and before Magistrate Ten Eyck, in Night Court, he admitted that he had been guilty of just such swindles.

He said he was William La Roche, and that his address was the Mills Hotel No. 1, though he was arrested at 36 Third Avenue, where, the police say, he had a room. Mrs. Pierre Bologna of 200 Chrystie Street recognized him, and pointed him out to Policeman Foley of the Fifth Street Station.

Mrs. Bologna said that her sixteen-year-old son Joseph was arraigned in the Children's Court on Oct. 15 on a charge of juvenile delinquency and was discharged. Before the boy got home La Roche called, representing himself to be a probation officer from the Children's Court, and asked for $2, which, he said, had been levied against her son. Mrs. Bologna said her husband, Joseph, gave La Roche the money, and did not discover until a few days ago in conversation with his son that he had not been fined at all.

Howard Appointed Complaint Clerk.

Police Commissioner Woods announced yesterday the appointment of William Howard, Jr., a lawyer, as Complaint Clerk in the department, at $2,500 a year, in place of Frank Lord, appointed Second Deputy Commissioner. Mr. Howard lives at 1,136 Sterling Place, Brooklyn.

NO LAND FOR BOY IMMIGRANT

Defective Rejected Here and Argentina Won't Let Him Come Back.

The arrival of Giovanni Gruerio, 7 years old, has furnished another problem for the immigration officials. Giovanni came with his parents and four brothers from Buenos Aires on Sept. 12. He was ordered deported because the doctors said he was mentally defective. The father appealed and the family went to Philadelphia, leaving Luigi, 17 years old, to look after his brother.

Argentina objected to having the boy sent back to Buenos Aires, and a representative of that Government pointed out that the father was a native of Italy. The father assured the immigration authorities that his son was born in Buenos Aires, so it has been ruled that the boy must go back via the Lamport & Holt Line, that brought him to New York.

The Argentine authorities have served notice that without a birth certificate the boy will not be permitted to land. A representative of Lamport & Holt said yesterday the line would refuse to carry out the deportation order, and the matter may go to court.

Divorce Granted to Lieut. Abbott.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 1.—An absolute divorce was granted here today to Lieut. J. Edward Abbott, U. S. A., from Carolina Smith Abbott. Lieut. Abbott named a brother officer, Second Lieut. Marr O'Connor, as co-respondent. The decree refers to the admission by Mrs. Abbott that she had given up her husband "definitely," adding that from all indications Lieut. O'Connor was the "polar star of her love and affection."

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Comprising a stock on hand valued at

$1,000,000.00 and upwards

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As the season advances, other portions of our stock, suited to Spring and Summer requirements, will be especially mentioned at proportionate concessions in price.

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Bigelow Carpets ⅓ Off

Axminster and best Brussels in a large assortment of thoroughly desirable patterns.

Formerly $1.65, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25 yard.
Reduced to 1.10, 1.25, 1.35

Bigelow Wiltons Reduced

Formerly $3.00, $3.25 yard.
Reduced to 1.75, 2.00, 2.25, 2.50 and 2.75

English Wiltons Reduced

Formerly $3.75, $4.00 yard.
Reduced to 2.00, 2.25, 2.50 and 2.75

Scotch and Domestic Art Rugs

A practical Wool Rug of heavy durable weave in various colors and both plain and small all-over figured effects.

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4.6x 6.6	Now 6.50	4.6x 7.6	Now 11.75
6x 9	Now 15.00	6x 9	Now 20.00
8.3x10.6	Now 20.00	8.3x10.6	Now 30.00
9x12	Now 24.00	9x12	Now 33.00

Oriental Rugs ¼ to ⅓ off

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In a large assortment and a good range of colors, suitable for furniture covering, hangings and wall coverings; are unusual value at these very low prices.

1.35 1.75 2.75 Yard.

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2 PAIRS MARIE ANTOINETTE	Formerly $15.00.	To close 7.50
2 PAIRS IRISH POINT—	Formerly $20.00.	To close 8.50
8 PAIRS LACET ARABE—	Formerly $19.50.	To close 8.75
3 PAIRS BRUSSELS LACE—	Formerly $25.00.	To close 8.50
3 PAIRS CLUNY LACE—	Formerly $22.00.	To close 9.00
3 PAIRS IRISH POINT—	Formerly $22.00.	To close 9.50
2 PAIRS ARABE LACE—	Formerly $45.00.	To close 14.75
12 PAIRS CLUNY—	Formerly $35.00.	To close 16.50
3 PAIRS CLUNY—	Formerly $58.00.	To close 25.00
4 PAIRS FILET LACE—	Formerly $75.00.	To close 30.00
1 PAIR BRUGE—	Formerly $135.00.	To close 35.00
2 PAIRS FILET LACE—	Formerly $135.00.	To close 40.00
2 PAIRS FILET LACE—	Formerly $135.00.	To close 45.00

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In point of fact, these clothes were made piece by piece, especially for GIMBELS by a merchant tailor of high standing.

They represent all he knows—and he knows a lot—about men's fine tailoring.

Fine imported materials and luxurious American silk-and-wool fabrics. All have silk linings, of course.

Included are a few Suits in advance Spring models—fit to wear until well into the Summer.

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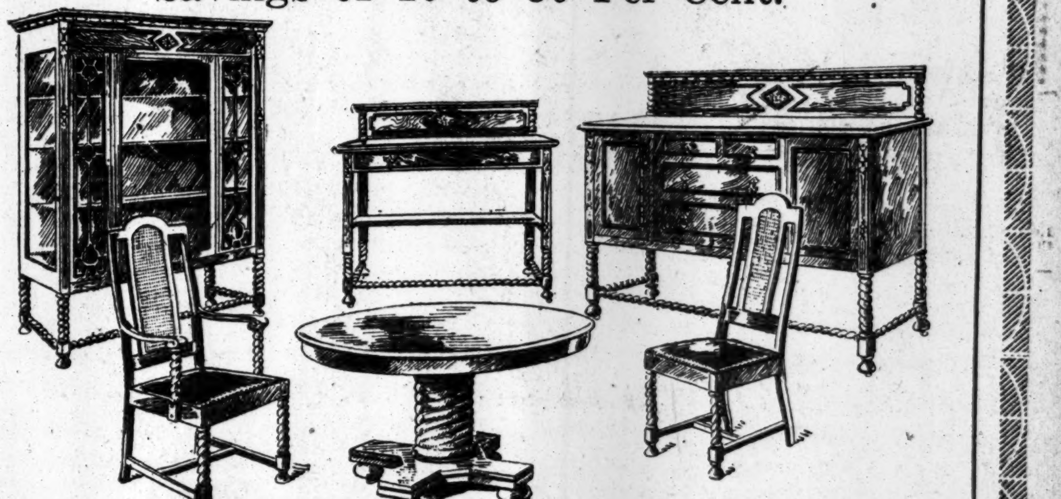

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Ten Pieces

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We were interested. Sketches were submitted, costs and quantities were gone over and finally, after several months of work, the suite became a reality. But it is even better than we bargained for, for the manufacturer put the best he had into the designing and construction.

It is shown for the first time in this sale; rich in those many quality details that are usually found only in the most expensive furniture.

The design is of true Jacobean inspiration.

The wood is clear white oak with a mellow, antique finish.

The drawer pulls are dull brass, drop style.

The pedestal of the table is a new adaptation of the Jacobean rope twist, unusually massive and imposing.

The upper half of the China Closet has a mirror back.

The Serving Table is a really useful piece of furniture, the lower shelf being practical in width and properly placed, the drawer runs full across and can be used for storing linen.

There are many other features of special appeal both in the style and the general construction.

Ten pieces in all, including six chairs that have seats of Spanish leather and cane backs.

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THE ADMINISTRATION'S APPEAL TO BUSINESS JUDGMENT.

In his remarks before the American Electric Railway Association the President said, "therefore we have "got to trade not only on our effi-"ciency, not only on the service that "we render, but on the confidence "that we cultivate." What confidence is the Administration cultivating among the men of business to whom his remarks were addressed, although not within sound of his voice? The Treasury now has a deficit of $88,000,000, and the Secretary of the Treasury tells the country that it is a matter of no present consequence; old or new taxes will take care of the debt on current account. The reliance is especially upon the income tax, a tax which particularly reflects such depression as is admitted by the Post Office Department. No precise statement of the Post Office's deficit is procurable, but it is said to be "millions." To that should be added the millions which ought to be paid for services which the Post Office requisitions from the railroads on a contract which the Congress makes without negotiations with those who do the work. If the Post Office and Treasury are in this condition what confidence can the country feel in the President's assurance that times are not so bad as business men think? The Post Office's official statement specifically says that its troubles are due to the troubles of business.

With sentiment in this dubious state the President presses his Shipping bill upon the country contrary to authoritative expressions of the large business interests of the country, and it is supported in Congress by arguments affronting to commercial intelligence. In an official report favoring the project two Secretaries present an exhibit that "almost the "whole sum, $532,110,000, would be "paid to foreign steamship owners, "and would have an important bear-"ing upon our foreign trade balances; "it might, in fact, turn those bal-"ances against us." The extent to which the Government shipping line would lessen that calamity can be figured, but it is not worth while to take the trouble. Even before this official misrepresentation was made it was pointed out that the farmers sell their wheat on their farms, oftentimes, and usually on some neighboring exchange. The chief grain markets are near the centre of the continent, where freight is not calculated, still less paid. The decorous Journal of Commerce loses its temper over the incident, and says that the joint report of the two Secretaries is "too idiotic for serious comment."

That is opinion only. The repeated statements that other than belligerents' vessels are available are not in accordance with the facts on any scale worth the Government's action. As matter of international law French and British ships are just as undesirable purchases as German or Austrian. German cruisers like the Karlsruhe would capture French or British ships masquerading under the American flag as quickly as the British warships would, if they had the opportunity. But England has declared that the sale of British ships in war time is forbidden, and France has none to spare. No doubt there are vessels in the world to be bought by the Government, but it could get them only by overbidding private buyers, and could use them only by underbidding in the freight market. If the Government could provide cheap freights in that manner it would be a costly bargain, whether or not it was within the Government's "rights." A right is something which can be waived at discretion, not something which must be exercised contrary to common sense.

That these things are so in the opinion of business men appears from the formal condemnation of the proposal by such reputable bodies as the Merchants' Association and the Chamber of Commerce of this city. They disapprove on argument and theory. The Boston Maritime Agency dissents on the statement of fact, explicitly contradicting the assertions in support of the bill. Those who support it are more few than fit, and their chief reliance is that the bill ought to be passed because the "interests" oppose it. It may be that there are interests supporting it, but the argument from unproved motives is both unworthy and unnecessary. Secretary BRYAN said yesterday in a formal statement that it was to be assumed "that the authority con-"ferred upon the President and those "who will be associated with him in "the matter will be exercised prop-"erly, and with a due regard to the "nation's welfare." How can such a thing be assumed of gentlemen capable of putting forward such a measure? If it be conceded that their intentions are all that they ought to be, and doubtless are, how can it be thought right to intrust them with a discretion wider than the Czar's, all laws on the subject being repealed specifically for that express purpose? Congress washed its hands of the railway rate question by turning it over to a commission, and after nearly thirty years it is seen that it is necessary to control the commission. Can it be wished that the ocean freights shall be thrown into similar confusion, without the slightest suggestion of the standards and principles by which the Government board shall be guided? The President may as well take friendly warning that it makes no difference what the political effect of the bill may be, nor whether it is defeated or passed. He puts in jeopardy the confidence of the very class to which he is appealing. Prosperity is impossible without the confidence of business men, and confidence is seriously shaken both by the bill itself and the stubbornness with which it is pressed without nonpolitical support worthy the name.

MR. TAFT: A POSSIBILITY.

It is curious to see how the name of ex-President TAFT keeps cropping up in the gossip about the next Presidential nomination—usually defended by some apologetic phrase such as "stranger things may happen," or the like. But, defensive or not, the talk persists; and it is to be found in newspapers in widely separated parts of the country, and is apparently spontaneous. Here, for instance, is The Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle discussing the subject and reaching the conclusion that

> A straw vote at this moment might show that the most popular and influential Republican in the United States is WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT. GROVER CLEVELAND, it will be recalled, "came back" after four years as a "sage."

Up in Pennsylvania Representative J. HAMPTON MOORE discusses the question in an article in The Philadelphia Public Ledger. Says he:

> Because they say he was right in many of his policies, which have been proved by the Wilson Administration, old-time friends of President TAFT mention his name as a return possibility.

He adds that there is "no indication of an organized Taft movement," and there certainly is not. The thing has not yet got beyond the gossip stage. At the same time, with the dearth of Presidential material on the Republican side, and with a manifest casting about on all sides for some likely candidate, which has led even to the suggestion of such improbable possibilities as Gov. WILLIS of Ohio and Representative MANN, gossip is a thing to be reckoned with. Gossip may at any moment harden into action.

Mr. TAFT's conduct since he left the White House has made him hosts of friends and has even affected the faction of the party that was hostile to him while he was there—though that hostility was not directed so much at him as at those around him. His good temper, the wisdom of his public utterances, and the service he has performed in directing public opinion have gone a long way toward clarifying the popular impression of an honest President who suffered for sins that were not his. It is probable that the gossip now springing up in so many different parts of the country will increase rather than diminish.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

The whole question of the National Guard, in relation to the nation as well as to the several States, was set before the readers of THE SUNDAY TIMES in the replies of the Governors of States to inquiries concerning their plans for the improvement of the citizen soldiery. In any discussion touching our national defenses, and one is now going on vigorously in all parts of the country, the strength and fitness of the organized militia must be considered. Not much is often known in any one State about the ability and discipline of the National Guard in other States. Here in New York we justly have a very high opinion of our own citizen soldiers. In every branch of the service they look well, behave like real soldiers, perform all their military duties with a measure of skill which is frequently highly commended by the officers of the regular army who come in contact with them. We know something, too, of the general efficiency of the organized militia in neighboring States, but of the general condition of the Guard elsewhere we have known next to nothing.

One significant point in the messages of the Governors to THE TIMES is the agreement of so many of them that the relations between the War Department and the Guard should be strengthened. This may indicate merely the disposition of some of the States to shift as much as possible of the pecuniary burden of the militia on the National Government, which would be doubtful policy for both the States and the nation. Gov. WALSH of Massachusetts thinks the militia of the States should be "Federalized"; but that was done as long ago as 1903 with the passage of the Dick law. Great improvement in the drill of the militia, and in their knowledge of soldiering, has since been effected under the eye of trained army officers. The payment of the militia by the Federal Government is an idea which has not yet taken root in the national conscience. Many reasonably sound objections have been urged against the plan. There is no doubt that members of the National Guard should not be forced to pay for any part of their own equipment. The service should cost them nothing. But why should not the States meet the expense?

The messages of the Governors show that the feeling is general throughout the country that the National Guard should be developed into a strong and efficient means of defense, a fit auxiliary to the regular army, and that steps have been taken in many States to make it more effective. There is no majority among the Governors in favor of Federal pay; but there is a sign that all Federal assistance in the work of upbuilding and improving the citizen soldiery will be welcomed. That is the cheering sign. Soldiers must train citizen soldiers, and, however large an army reserve we may have in time, if the objections of Mr. HAY of Virginia to our having any can be overcome, in an hour of peril we shall have great need of a well-trained National Guard.

THE COURT HOUSE PUZZLE.

The members of the Court House Board have the sympathy of their fellow-citizens. The long delay in starting the condemnation proceedings for the new part of the site is not satisfactorily explained. The Mayor's desire for economy in public expenditures and Controller PRENDERGAST's doubts about the return the city will get from the sale of that part of the site first selected lying west of Centre Street are understandable, but the cost to the city of holding the property is $600 every day, and many six hundred-dollar days have elapsed since the matter was placed in the hands of Corporation Counsel POLK last July. Mr. PRENDERGAST says that "at a time like this we should endeavor to deal in certainties." But that expense is a certainty. It is certain, also, that the Controller voted last July for the proceeding to acquire the additional property.

Unless some action is taken immediately the board will not be able to award the contract for building by next May. There is no real saving in this delay, but, on the contrary, public money is being wasted. Everything has been done that could be done, but the land is not half cleared. A huge sum of money will not be required to start the work, while employment could be given to a small army of men who sadly need it.

It is false economy to delay the work of building the new Court House; it is very poor policy, at any time and for any consideration, to block progress with a much-needed improvement. The Court House design has been accepted, all the plans and specifications are ready, borings have been made for the foundations. The city cannot sell at a good price the land it does not need until work on the law courts has actually begun. There will be, until that happens, more or less doubt as to whether a Court House will ever be built. In all these years of unprofitable, of extremely expensive delay, we have had a sort of idea that the preposterous City Hall Park plan might crop up again at any minute.

SOCIAL SERVICE OR NEW TAXES?

It is indiscreet for the city authorities to publish advertisements of a certain sort at the time that the Mayor's Commission is about to spring a lot of new taxes upon unsuspecting citizens. For example, an advertisement yesterday by the Municipal Civil Service Commission asked for candidates for Secretary of the Committee on Social Welfare. Almost anybody would take that job, or others not so good, at the salary, $5,000. The Committee on Social Welfare, it is necessary to say, is charged with the duties of investigating the Social Welfare provisions made by the city, and wants "to submit constructive rec-"ommendations toward their im-"provement and increase."

No committee could be expected to work without a Secretary, and this committee wants one worthy of its duties. It wants high-class talent, competent it would seem to do the committee's work for it. It really would seem that the committee might get along with one of its members for Secretary, for something less than $5,000. It might be that the cheaper way would be to take the $5,000 Secretary, and dispense with the committee. There would be less embarrassment about cutting down the programme which the committee wants help to increase.

Another advertisement calls for a Supervisor of Recreation, also of course at a good salary. It is understood that under the new theories of social service it is thought well to teach how to play. Not a word would be offered against it if the city had money to spare. As matter of fact the city is conducting its finances in a manner which would throw a private corporation into receivership, which might not be such a bad thing for the city itself.

Not long ago two pamphlets were published. One was entitled "New "York City's Progress Toward Bank-"ruptcy." The other was entitled "New York City's Progress Toward Civilization." The latter was thought to be an answer to the former by describing the duties the city owes to its citizens. When the earlier pamphlet was published it was thought unpatriotic to call the city's credit in question. The higher interest it was necessary to pay to get accommodation was thought to be a matter of the money market.

It is time to recognize that the depreciation of the city's credit is unmistakable, and is due to its own acts. It is taking so much money from the taxpayers that it is depreciating the values which underlie taxation. It cannot continue. The proposal of fresh taxes while advertisements are offered for the procurement of talent to devise new ways of spending tax money in the cultivation of social service and teaching recreation is "the limit."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Atlanta's Change of Heart. By acquitting the Burns detectives who were accused of bribing witnesses to give testimony favorable to LEO M. FRANK, the jurymen before whom the case was tried, besides presumably bringing in a just verdict, showed that there has been a notable and commendable change of public sentiment in Atlanta. No longer is it taken for granted, there, that any charge against FRANK or his friends is true—no longer is there fierce resentment against anybody who questions his guilt or demands that it be proved legally and fairly, as that of any other man would have to be.

What the fate of these detectives would have been if they had been brought to trial in the earlier days of excitement, when juries were subjected to the influence of threatening mobs, does not require telling. Now the jurymen are allowed coolly to weigh the evidence presented, and their verdict corroborates the general impression that the case made out against the detectives was too weak to justify conviction. Their acquittal goes far toward refuting the charge that money has been spent corruptly in FRANK's behalf, for it can safely be assumed that the prosecution, in its effort to sustain this accusation, used the best case it had.

The people of that city have been—they must have been—impressed by the fact that every disinterested investigation of the Frank case has resulted in the announcement of a firm belief not only that FRANK did not have a fair trial, but that he was innocent. Such was the conclusion reached by representatives of The Kansas City Star, The Baltimore Sun, and The Chicago Tribune, by DON SEITZ of The New York World and ARTHUR BRISBANE of The New York Journal, by C. P. CONNOLLY of Collier's Weekly, by three separate investigators sent to Atlanta by THE NEW YORK TIMES, and by not a few others.

An Old Trick Again Is Successful. Late Sunday night there came to THE TIMES office by telephone an angry inquiry from a relative of the man whose slaying of his wife, two daughters, and himself had been the horrifying discovery of the day. This inquirer wanted to know why THE TIMES reporter to whom had been lent for reproduction in this paper a photograph of the elder of the two murdered girls had not returned it, as he had promised to do, before 10 o'clock in the evening.

Now, that picture had not been taken, with or without promise of its return, by any TIMES reporter or by anybody in any way connected with or employed by THE TIMES. What had happened is what has happened many times before—a reporter on the staff of another paper, feeling that its name would be less efficacious in inspiring confidence and in getting for him what he wanted, had falsely declared himself to be a reporter for THE TIMES. As the picture appeared in only one of New York's Monday morning papers, anybody who chooses to examine them all can easily find out for which one of them the reporter misused the name of THE TIMES.

A Decision Making for Safety. Street car conductors are not the only men engaged in constant dealing with and handling of the public who are far too ready to diagnose as intoxication the case of anybody coming under their observation who shows one or more of the symptoms caused by excessive indulgence in alcohol. As many of these symptoms, including the unconsciousness, the thickened speech, and the nausea that are the most familiar consequences of drink, are also those of other and very serious maladies and seizures, these hasty judgments often result in deaths that could have been prevented by proper medical care promptly given.

It is a source of justifiable satisfaction, therefore, that the Court of Appeals has reversed the Appellate Division, to the extent of ordering a new trial, in a case in which the latter tribunal had set aside a verdict for damages found in the trial court against a street railway company whose employe had delayed for hours before summoning medical aid for a passenger suffering from a stroke of apoplexy.

The conductor erred, the Court of Appeals held, not in making the false diagnosis of drunkenness, but in assuming his competence to make any diagnosis at all of the malady of a man overcome by sudden helplessness in his car. It also held that a jury might have found from the evidence that a reasonably prudent person would have seen that the passenger was in a critical condition and needed immediate attention. The duty of the company to carry its patrons safely was declared to include that of giving them more than ordinary care when conditions change as they did in this instance.

The lesson of the decision should be heeded by policemen, since they, also, are too ready to make the diagnosis of drunkenness, and of ambulance surgeons more than one might give it careful thought without wasting their valuable time.

The Pro-German Propaganda.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Can any of your readers suggest a practical way for those of us who object to the pro-German propaganda at Washington to combat this most unpatriotic and hypocritical movement?

I should like to subscribe to such an object if a practical and honest way can be found.

H. M. ARMSTRONG.

New York, Feb. 1, 1915.

POST OFFICE DEFICIT.

How Much of It Is Attributable to the Parcel System?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In THE TIMES I note an article upon the Post Office deficiency, which is estimated at $30,000,000. It is to be regretted that the amount of this deficiency contributed by the parcel post system is not expressed in figures, for this is a subject upon which the public should be duly enlightened. I assume from past statistics that a very substantial portion is attributable to the parcel post.

We have heard from the railroads as to the inadequate revenue received by them, or entire lack of compensation for transporting parcel post matter, but in the light of the somewhat depressing figures published by you this morning would not a few remarks from the following be pertinent and of interest to the general public?

The stockholders of the express companies, men and women, who have lost millions in value of investment and had their income reduced or wiped out through the establishment of a non-self-supporting parcel post.

The taxpayers of the United States who must make up the deficiency in postal revenue due to the parcel post system.

The deluded individuals who thought that claims for loss of parcel post packages would be settled promptly by the Government, (as compared with the justly criticised delay on the part of the express companies,) and who must wait until Congress solemnly passes a bill to pay them.

Those persons who never receive parcel post packages sent to them and who, unless they insure them, never have any redress or hope of even tardy compensation.

Last, but not least, those faithful and poorly rewarded servants of the public—the letter carriers—who work, fair weather or foul, frequently making packhorses of themselves, and all this without the hope of pension for their old age, and who must now be laid off in large numbers because the system does not pay.

FREDERICK HAYDEN.

New York, Jan. 31, 1915.

GERMANY'S FEELING.

A Bad-Tempered Sample of It Which Comes to George H. Putnam.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

You may think it of interest to your readers to bring into print, as a curious example of the state of German feeling and of the method of German expression, the inclosed anonymous communication which reaches me today from Germany, and which has been passed (as if with approval) with the stamp of the German censor. This utterance probably does not come from a member of the educated class, but the spirit of it seems to me not very different from that of old Prof. Lasson whose letter you printed in THE TIMES of yesterday, and who writes:

> A man who is not German knows nothing of Germany. We are morally and intellectually superior to all—without peers. It is the same with our organizations and our institutions. * * * We are truthful. Our characteristics are humanity, gentleness, conscience, the virtue of Christianity. In a world of wickedness, we represent the love of God, who is with us.

GEORGE HAVEN PUTNAM.

New York, Feb. 1, 1915.

[Inclosure]

To G. H. Putnam, Publisher, New York:

The hand of a rascal like yourself, which could dare to bring into print words so unworthy of the great German people, should rot off. The statements made by you (as reprinted in the Borsenblatt from THE NEW YORK TIMES) could only spring out of a withered, English-feeling thickhead. May God punish England, and may you, rascal, answer for your utterance. May God punish her, because England is the bloodhound of this war.

Offers Seed Corn to Servia.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Recently I have seen references to a Servian lady's mission here to secure, not money, but seed wheat and corn for her country. I don't find her name or address, but if you will supply the needed information I will let her requisition a hundred bushels of my best corn at Pomona, in Ramapo. The ears for this service to a noble, self-reliant people will be carefully selected to suit her purpose.

May I ask you to adopt the spelling "Serbia" and "Serbian" for use in THE TIMES? It would show respect for this plucky little country, fighting against great odds. They have a right to be called by the name they prefer. We say "Petrograd" to please the Czar; let us say "Serbia" to compliment the brave and independent Servians.

CHARLES S. HARTWELL.

Brooklyn, Jan. 31, 1915.

Germany's Naval Policy.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

"Cobbler, stick to thy last." It is the irony of circumstance that the page in last Friday's TIMES which contains Mr. Carnegie's statement respecting German naval policy contains also translations from an "inspired" German source which do not jibe with Mr. Carnegie's understanding. Unfortunately, too, for his position, German official declarations are numerous to the effect that the German naval policy was altogether independent of anything that the British naval authorities might determine. Mr. Carnegie's propaganda for disarmament would gain immeasurably if fallacious arguments like this were not included.

GEORGE W. GILMORE.

New York, Jan. 31, 1915.

The Times's War Articles.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I cannot express the deep satisfaction which THE TIMES brings to me each day by its fine attitude regarding this war, and by its publication of so many articles and letters on the side of American feeling and of reasoned opinion. Most generously and effectively you have been doing the work of humanity and justice.

Your editorial article of Dec. 15 was an "event"—an electric shock felt around the world.

GEORGE A. PERRY.

Willsborough, N. Y., Jan. 31, 1915.

A Schoolboy's Compliment.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Perhaps you do not know your standing in the universe, so please permit me to tell you.

In a recent history test sent out by one of the District Superintendents to the public schools in his district was this question: "What document defines the powers of the National Government?" One pupil answered: "The paper which defines the powers of the National Government is THE NEW YORK TIMES."

ELIZABETH DUNN.

Brooklyn, Jan. 31, 1915.

Times Magazine's New Dress.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Permit me to voice my approval of the new form of your Sunday Magazine. I am just one of those readers whom you mention in your introductory editorial article. I vote for the continuation of the new form.

F. A. MOONEY.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 31, 1915.

SALUT AUX MORTS.

Lines suggested by a photograph in the Picture Section of THE SUNDAY TIMES.

Beyond Varennes' wind-swept plateau
The sinking sun hangs, faint and low,
Against the darkening sky.

And there, unstirred by bugle sounds,
At rest beneath swift-shoveled mounds,
Unnumbered heroes lie.

Life's Drama ended in a surge—
That self-transcending, valiant urge,
Which leads men on to die!

As shadows veil the wooden cross
That marks the graves and tells the loss,
Slow moving shapes draw nigh:

Two, who still hear the din of war,
Stand rigid. Their "salut aux morts"
A phantom battle-cry.

LOUISE VON WETTER.

AUSTRIA NOT TO GET COLUMBIA TEACHER

Because of War Trustees Decide Against Sending Burgess as Exchange Professor.

LIBRARY REORGANIZATION

Special Committee to Plan Research Work Reforms—$13,682 in Gifts Announced.

Because of the war it was decided yesterday by the trustees of Columbia University at their regular meeting to cancel the arrangements made by Dean John M. Burgess to take up his work at the Austrian universities as the American Exchange Professor. Prof. Oberhummer of the University of Vienna, who was expected to begin work at Columbia on Feb. 1, has also been forced to abandon his plans.

The nomination by the alumni of Ambrose Dyer Henry, '84, as the sixth alumni Trustee of Columbia University was recognized by his formal election by the Trustees. Mr. Henry's term will expire in 1920. He fills the vacancy left by the death of Edward B. Coe.

Gifts to the amount of $13,682 were announced. They are:

Estate of Admiral George W. Melville, to establish the Admiral Melville prizes in mechanical engineering	$5,280
Anonymous donor for the Avery Library	3,000
George Ehret for the Deutsches Haus	2,000
Anonymous donors for salaries in the Department of Philosophy	1,450
Anonymous donors for salaries in the Department of Pharmacology	1,360
Southern Cotton Oil Co. for the purchase of special apparatus for the Department of Chemistry	368
Presbyterian Hospital for the purchase of apparatus for use in the treatment and study of heart trouble	224

Prof. Angell Appointed.

Prof. James R. Angell of the University of Chicago was appointed nonresident lecturer in psychology for the current academic year. Dr. Frederick Wise, Columbia '04, was appointed instructor in dermatology at the medical school. F. F. Nickel was appointed associate in mechanical engineering.

The administration of the university library was completely reorganized in accordance with the plan which had been worked out by the Library Council and approved by the committee on the library. Assistant Prof. Dean P. Lockwood of the department of classical philology was designated to serve as acting librarian of the university until June 30, 1916, before which time further consideration will be given to the selection of a permanent librarian. Roger Howson, A. M., now department librarian in charge of Kent Hall reading rooms, was appointed bibliographer and assistant to the librarian. Frederick C. Hicks, A. M., LL. B., now assistant librarian, was appointed law librarian and will also render service to the Legislative Drafting Research Bureau.

The Library Council was made permanent, with advisory powers, and will consist of the following professors, in addition to President Butler:

Profs. Wheeler, D. E. Smith, Rautenstrauch, Harper, Trent, Keyser, F. C. Wood, Abbott, Shotwell, Simkhovitch, R. Weeks, Lockwood, and Instructor Barry.

Would End Library Committee.

The Committee on the Library recommended that the by-laws be amended by transferring the jurisdiction over the library to the Committee on Education and the discontinuance of a separate Library Committee.

In view of the fact that the Butler Medal, recently established by anonymous gift, is to be awarded for the first time at the commencement of 1915, a committee, consisting of Dean Woodbridge, Dean Russell of Teachers College, and Profs. Dewey, Bush, Adler, Suzzalo, and Thorndike, was appointed to recommend to the Trustees the names of persons from whom choice should be made of those to receive the medal.

It was announced that the President had designated a special committee of professors to prepare a plan for the better organization of the work of research in the university for consideration by the appropriate Faculties and by the Trustees. The committee consists of Profs. Boas, Chairman; Todd, Bogert, F. C. Wood, T. H. Morgan, Dewey, Woodworth, Simkhovitch, and Harper.

It was announced that the Trustees of Barnard College had agreed upon April 29 as the date of the twenty-fifth anniversary celebration.

MARINES HELD OFF HAITI.

Ready to Protect American Interests at Port-au-Prince.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The cruiser Montana, with 600 marines, gathered from the Atlantic fleet at Guantanamo, has taken station off Port-au-Prince, Haiti, for the protection of American interests there. A report to the Navy Department today from Rear Admiral Caperton, commanding the naval forces in Haitian waters, summarized by Secretary Daniels, says: "Conditions unchanged and quiet at Port-au-Prince."

Admiral Caperton, who commands the cruiser squadron of the Atlantic fleet, has taken his flagship, the Washington, from Cape Haitien to Port-au-Prince. The gunboat Wheeling is at Saint Marc. It is supposed that Gen. Guillaume's revolutionary forces are nearing Port-au-Prince to attack President Theodore.

The Washington was ordered to Cape Haitien when Gen. Guillaume's forces were besieging that port. After the fall of Cape Haitien the revolutionists announced their purpose to march upon Port-au-Prince.

SLATE FOR TRADE BOARD

Includes Messrs. Davies, Hurley, Record, Parry, and Harris.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Nominations for the new Federal Trade Commission, which President Wilson is expected to send to the Senate this week, stood today on the White House slate as follows:

Joseph E. Davies of Wisconsin, E. N. Hurley of Illinois, George L. Record of New Jersey, Will H. Parry of Washington State, and William J. Harris of Georgia.

It was said in official circles that the only doubtful name on the list was Mr. Parry's. Mr. Davies, Mr. Hurley and Mr. Harris are Democrats, Mr. Record is a Progressive, and Mr. Parry is classed at the White House as a Progressive Republican. Mr. Davies now is Chief of the Bureau of Corporations; Mr. Hurley is a business man and trade expert; Mr. Harris is a Director of the Census; Messrs. Parry and Record are lawyers.

FAVORS TWO BATTLESHIPS.

President, Opposing Tillman, Urges Construction This Year.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—President Wilson told Chairman Tillman of the Senate Naval Committee today that he believed Congress should provide for two battleships this year, and that he disagreed with Mr. Tillman's contention that none should be built this year, but that four should be constructed next year on lessons of the European war.

Women Voters Must Tell Their Ages.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Women voters of Chicago must tell their ages when they register tomorrow, according to a ruling today by County Judge Thomas F. Scully. They must answer the same questions, he rules, that are required of the men. Campaign managers think it will keep many women from registering.

$46,000 FROM OFFICERS.

Natural History Museum Maintained Last Year by Generosity of the Trustees.

The forty-sixth annual report of the American Museum of Natural History, presented last night to the Trustees by its President, Henry Fairfield Osborn, at his residence at 850 Park Avenue, shows that the institution has reached a financial condition in which before long it must be decided whether the Museum is to remain a public institution or is to depend principally on private munificence.

This year's municipal appropriation for maintenance, according to Mr. Osborn, fell short by $95,000 of the amount needed; and besides the endowment income it has been necessary for the Trustees to make personal contributions amounting to $46,000 to keep the institution running. The income from the $5,000,000 bequest from Mrs. Morris K. Jesup, which will not be available for at least another year, is restricted to scientific purposes and the acquisition of new collections, and is therefore not available for maintenance or the erection of new buildings.

Mr. Osborn reports that for the eight museums and institutions of art and natural history in New York the expenditure is only 17 cents per capita, and including the tax for the public library the total reaches only 36 cents. Pittsburgh spends more than twice this amount for municipal educational institutions, and Boston, Cleveland, Buffalo, Minneapolis and Cincinnati all come ahead of New York.

Aside from the financial situation the Museum reports a prosperous year. Twenty-nine expeditions of research and exploration are in the field under its direction, including one in the Arctic regions, two in South America, and three in Africa. Of these the Congo expedition, which went out in 1909 under Herbert Lang and James Chapin, is nearing the completion of an enormous task. Its actual work was finished two years ago, but since then the members have been arranging for transportation of the forty-five tons of zoological specimens collected to a point where they can be shipped to New York. About one-fourth of the material has now reached the seaport of Boma, and the rest has been moved safely to Stanleyville, whence it will be shipped down the river.

Leo E. Miller and Howarth S. Boyle are now exploring Colombia and Bolivia under the Museum's direction; George K. Cherrie is soon to be sent to the Paraguayan marshes to continue the work of the first Roosevelt expedition; Dr. Edmund Otis Hovey has just started on a trip of exploration to the West Indian volcanoes, and with money supplied by the Jesup fund the Museum is sending William B. Richardson, H. E. Anthony and David Ball to the comparatively unknown region of Eastern Panama.

Bequests announced in the report include $90,000 from Miss Tessie Greer, $36,946 from Morris Loeb, and a special fund of $25,000 of which the Museum is the contingent beneficiary. Among the collections which have been added in the year are the Schrammen collection of fossils, Nasca pottery from Peru, given by A. D. Juilliard, mammals and birds collected by the Roosevelt expedition in Paraguay and Brazil, fish from Japan, and the Minor C. Keith collection of pottery and stone carvings from Costa Rica.

The Museum's extension work reached 1,125,000 pupils last year, and 40,000 children attended lectures at the Museum itself.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Henry F. Osborn; First Vice President, Cleveland H. Dodge; Second Vice President, J. P. Morgan; Treasurer, Charles Lanier; Secretary, Adrian Iselin, Jr. Trustees were elected for the Class of 1919 as follows: George F. Baker, Joseph H. Choate, Henry Fairfield Osborn, James Douglas, and George W. Wickersham. The vacancy in the board due to the death of Albert S. Bickmore was not filled.

ALLOWS 1914 NORDICA WILL.

Both Instruments Left by the Singer Are Now in the Courts.

Two wills of Mme. Lillian Nordica, one in New Jersey and one in this State, are now judicially before the courts, following a ruling by Surrogate Cohalan yesterday. George W. Young, banker husband of the prima donna, was before the Surrogate in discovery proceedings, brought to establish the assets of the deceased singer's estate.

The New Jersey will, made in 1910, gives the entire estate, estimated to be in excess of $1,000,000, to Mr. Young; the New York will, made at Thursday Island during the singer's last illness, makes no provision for Mr. Young. The sisters of the decedent are trying to probate the New York will, while Mr. Young is proceeding in the New Jersey court to probate the 1910 instrument. A commission to take testimony of witnesses to the 1914 will is to act for the courts of both States, Surrogate Cohalan ruled. Adjournment until June 7 was made, in order to give the commission time in which to return from Thursday Island.

In addition to the assets stated by Mr. Young on Saturday, Mme. Nordica possessed jewelry insured at $600,000, he said yesterday. He said the 1910 will represented a pre-nuptial agreement, whereby he was to get his wife's estate if she predeceased him, and she to have all if she survived him. He said his affidavit, made in 1914, that he did not own $500,000 worth of securities in the Maine Securities Company was "inaccurate."

ART NOTES.

American Artists' Paintings and Sculpture on Sale for Fund.

An exhibition of paintings and sculpture by American artists opened yesterday at the Knoedler Galleries. The proceeds of the sales are to go to the Relief Fund in charge of the Executive Committee of the American Artists Committee of One Hundred, the contributing artists receiving no share whatever. The galleries are given to the committee free of charge by Messrs. M. Knoedler & Co. The artists have shown a dignified generosity, sending excellent and typical works, such as they would think worthy to show at the larger annual exhibitions.

Among the painting are "An Interesting Book," by J. W. Alexander, a young girl reading; Eugene P. Ullman's "Fin de Carnival," J. Alden Weir's "Fall Pasture," Alfred Mauer's "The Dancer," Jean McLane's "A Child of Italy," F. Luis Mora's "Shawl Bouquet," Abbott Thayer's "Young Woman," Douglas Volk's "Wood Nymph," W. T. Smedley's "Girl in Grey," Howard Gardner Cushing's "A Woman Reading," E. C. Frieseke's "On the River," Charles Melville Dewey's "Springtime," Henry Golden Dearth's "Montreuil sur Mer," W. M. Chase's "Still Life," John S. Sargent's "Moorish Courtyard," and many others of great interest.

The sculptures are given by Herbert Adams, Robert Aitkin, Paul Bartlett, John Flanagan, Daniel Chester French, MacMonnies, Malvina Hoffmann, Janet Scudder, Mrs. Vonnoh, and others. Nearly all the work has been seen before, and comment upon the generosity of the artists is more appropriate than criticism of the separate items of the exhibition, which is a truly fine example of the sympathetic spirit called out by the war.

The Exhibition Committee is Herbert Adams, W. N. Taylor, William Bailey Faxon, John Flanagan, Francis C. Jones, Roland F. Knoedler, Jules Turcas, W. B. Van Ingen, H. W. Watrous, and W. A. Coffin. All the pictures and bronzes in the exhibition are for sale at prices placed upon them by the artists, much below those usually fixed.

OPEN $200,000 HOME OF WEST SIDE Y.W.C.A.

Branch Is First to Receive Money from the $4,000,000 Campaign Fund.

MRS. SLOANE GAVE $50,000

The Five-Story Building Is Equipped with Every Home Comfort—George Perkins Presented Keys.

Crowds filled the auditorium of the new five-story home of the West Side Branch of the Young Woman's Christian Association at the northwest corner of Tenth Avenue and Fiftieth Street last night when George W. Perkins, as President of the Board of Trustees, handed over the keys to the officers in charge.

The building was once the old West Side Neighborhood House, put up by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., but it has been entirely remodeled. The improvements cost $200,000, and this money was the first to be taken from the $4,000,000 campaign fund which was raised last year for Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. work. Mrs. William Sloan gave $50,000 to the fund, stipulating that it should be devoted to the West Side Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. James S. Cushman, President of the Young Woman's Christian Association of New York, received the keys and transferred them to Mrs. William J. Rossiter, who is Chairman of the West Side Branch. Mr. Perkins gave Mrs. Rossiter credit for the idea which has developed into this model structure and the persistance and perseverance which brought it to completion.

There is a model flat in the building, four rooms and bath, where the girls may come evenings and learn housekeeping systematically. There are the domestic science rooms with a big gas range, and many smaller stoves, with a dining room, and bedroom partitioned off, where regular housekeeping lessons can be given. There are classrooms with all modern conveniences, and plenty of light and air for instruction in all other branches of work which the girls may take up.

In the basement is the bowling alleys. On the next to the upper floor is the big gymnasium, where two clubs of girls played a basket ball game for the benefit of the guests last night. This is carried up to the floor above, where there is a gallery. There will be open-air basket ball in a yard to be fitted up, and there is also a fine roof garden. A swimming pool is to be in an adjoining building and will be ready for use about May 1. It will connect with the main building. Another building, which in the time of the Rockefeller occupancy was used for a church, will serve now for a cafeteria, where reasonable luncheons can be served. Miss Marie R. Wing is the General Secretary of the branch.

"You will be taught to dance and so will your young men," said Mrs. Morgan. "The machinery for all kinds of amusement is here. Girls, will you use it? Don't miss your opportunity. All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy and Jill a dull girl."

Social life will be encouraged. Adjoining the social rooms up stairs is one room with tables and chairs where refreshments may be served, and there is a convenient pantry with dishes and a dumbwaiter which connects with a kitchen in the basement, where the girls may prepare their own refreshments.

Miss Cora L. Tatum, General Secretary of the Y. W. C. A., urged the girls to double the association membership. There are between 7,000 and 8,000 girls members in New York City, and she asked for 10,000 members by the end of 1915.

Mrs. Cushman presided and introduced the speakers, among whom were Mrs. Clarence Beebe and Mrs. Dave Hennen Morris. This will be a jubilee week at the new branch and guests will be welcome. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock every afternoon and each evening there will be a special entertainment, folk dances, gymnasium drills, tableaux, and even a variety show. Sunday from 4 to 6 will be afternoon tea and "Friendship hour."

NEW DELEGATE PLAN WINS.

Approved by Majority of Party for Republican National Convention.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Secretary James B. Reynolds of the Republican National Committee today announced that the plan of representation in the next Republican National Convention, proposed by the Republican National Committee, had been approved by States representing 290 electoral votes, some 25 more than the required majority. The new plan follows:

"Each State shall be entitled to four delegates at large; two additional delegates at large for each Representative at large in Congress elected from any State entitled to one or more additional Representatives in Congress under the apportionment made in accordance with the last census, but in which State no new Congressional district has been provided by law; one delegate from each Congressional district; an additional delegate fo reach Congressional district in which the vote for any Republican elector in 1908, or for the Republican nominee for Congress in 1914, shall have been not less than 7,500.

"Provided, however, that the total number of delegates to which any State is entitled shall be chosen from the State at large if the law of the State in which the election occurs so prescribes; and that in the case of any State electing all Representatives in Congress from the State at large, such State shall be entitled to as many delegates, elected at large, as though the State were divided into separate Congressional districts."

SULZER POLL COSTS $50,000

American Party Enrollment a State Expense Under Election Law.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—The State of New York is spending $50,000 to invite voters to become members of William Sulzer's American party. Under the Election law, Section 16, following any election at which an independent organization shall poll 10,000 votes, the election officials of the State shall send to every unenrolled elector of the State a notification that he is welcome within the new party. At last Fall's election, of the 140,000 votes polled by Sulzer, it is estimated that 70,000 were cast under the Liberty Bell, the emblem of the American party. Thereby the incorporated organization becomes a regular political party.

There are in New York State about 1,500,000 voters. It is estimated that 500,000 are unenrolled. The item of postage for sending an invitation to each of these voters will amount to $10,000 and it is calculated that the extra labor, printing, stenographic work and enrollment will cost the State $50,000.

JOB FOR GEN. HENRY.

Commissioner Williams Appoints Him to be Water Register.

Commissioner William Williams of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity yesterday announced the appointment of Gen. Nelson H. Henry to be Water Register at a salary of $5,000 a year.

Gen. Henry is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, class of 1879. He has been connected with the National Guard of New York State for twenty-six years, and served in the Spanish-American war as Division Surgeon. From 1902 to 1910 he was Adjutant General of the State. At one time he was Surveyor of the Port. In politics Gen. Henry is a Republican.

ALICE DELAMAR MAKES HER DEBUT

Daughter of John R. Delamar Is Introduced at a Dance at Sherry's.

DINNERS PRECEDE EVENT

Mrs. MacDonell Entertains 400 at Theatre—Other Hostesses Are Mrs. Cravath and Mrs. McKee.

John R. Delamar gave a large dance last night at Sherry's to formally introduce his daughter, Miss Alice Delamar to society. The large and small ballroom were taken for the dance and seated supper, the dancing being in the large ballroom and the seated supper being served in the small one soon after midnight. The decorations throughout were pink, and Spring flowers, almonds, and appleblossoms and tulips were, with palms and ferns used. Mr. Delamar, and Miss Delamar, in white maline and silver net trimmed with tiny pink rose buds and forget-me nots and carrying pink roses and forget-me-nots, had receiving with them Mrs. Edward R. Perry and Miss Clara B. Spence.

A number of dinners preceded the dance, the hostesses including Mrs. Paul Cavath, Mrs. James R. McKee, the Baroness de Graffenried, Mrs. Thomas Bloodgood Peck and Mrs. A. Masters MacDonell.

Mr. Delamar also gave a small dinner at his residence, 233 Madison Avenue, for his daughter. The guests were the Rev. Henry Sloane Coffin and Mrs. Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson Cromwell, Mrs. Edward R. Perry, Miss Clara Spence and A. M. Bagby.

Mrs. Cravath's dinner was for her daughter, Miss Vera A. H. Cravath, and she afterward took her guests to Sherry's. Mrs. Peck's dinner was for her husband's niece, Miss Frances Peck of Chicago, and her own niece, Miss Mary Stevens Chapin, and was at the Ritz-Carlton. The other guests included Miss Josephine Wells and Vivian H. Egleston, Daingerfield Lewis, Talbot Jones, Henry Steers, and Reginald Sturgis.

The Baroness de Graffenried's dinner was at her residence, 875 Park Avenue, and was for her two daughters, the Misses Gertrude and Violet Hamilton. The guests were the Misses Elizabeth Kirlin, Penelope Sears, also Theodore Crane, Sidney Dillon Ripley, John C. Fremont, W. E. Connell, and Ralph Kirlin.

Mrs. James R. McKee gave her dinner at Sherry's and the guests included Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Reisinger, Mrs. Lowry Gillett, the Misses Janet Reid, Margaret Payne Luce, and Edith Sloan, also Col. William E. Horton, Stewart McDermott, Robert Ingersoll Brown, and Mr. Campbell.

Mrs. A. Masters MacDonell's dinner was followed by a party to the play, after which most of the guests went to the dance. It was given for Frederick C. MacDonell and John Alden Talbot, and the guests were the Misses Gertrude and Eva Mali, Mildred and Elise Rice, Margaret and Louise Trevor, Constance Peabody, Elinor Kendall, Symphorosa Bristed, Priscilla Peabody, and Charles Gautier, Harry Cushing, 3d, F. R. Coudert, Jr., Frederick H. Wooley, Oliver Wagstaff, Morris Kinney, William Palmer, and Dorr Newton of Philadelphia.

Nearly 400 persons accepted invitations, and among them were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. John Fairchild Adams, Dr. James A. Ayer and Mrs. Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. Anson W. Burchard, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Flagler, Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong Greer, Dr. Thomas T. Gaunt and Mrs. Gaunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto Fabbri, Mr. and Mrs. Colgate Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schieffelin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Parker Kirlin, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Pleasants Pennington.

The Misses Mary Alexander, Rita Boker, Madeleine and Katharine Dahlgren, Gretchen Damrosch, Margaret H. Erhart, Helen Flake, Gladys Fries, Louise T. Frank, Marie Johnson, Katharine Lamont, Christina Nichols, Mary Jay Schieffelin, Marie Tailer, Louise Talmage, Marion Tiffany, and Marjorie L. Williams.

Also Malcolm Sloane, W. J. Schieffelin, Jr., Maurice and Francis Roche, Thedosius Stevens, W. H. Taylor, J. Berry Underhill, Jr., Durant Bowers, Harvey Ladew, J. F. Browning, Jr., Henry Holt, Charles Hayden, Arnold Fraser-Campbell, Reginald G. Francklyn, F. B. Hoffman, Jr., Albert and Murray Hoffman. Mr. Delamar will leave town about the middle of this month with Mrs. Edward R. Perry to spend the rest of the Winter at Palm Beach.

CHARITY BALL TONIGHT.

Grand March to Start Promptly at 10 o'Clock—Many Dinner Hosts.

The annual Charity Ball for the benefit of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital will be held tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria. The grand march is to start punctually at 10 o'clock. All of the ballrooms at the hotel have been engaged for the ball owing to the large number of tickets sold.

It is expected that Mayor and Mrs. Mitchel will attend, and many officers of the army and navy are to be present.

An unusual number of dinners are to be given preceding the ball. Mrs. George Leary is to entertain at dinner for Mrs. Lindley M. Garrison, wife of the Secretary of War. Other dinners just announced for the evening will be given by Mr. and Mrs. William Halsted Van der Poel of 830 Park Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Wyeth, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Bull, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Noble, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ryle, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Darrell, W. Floyd-Jones, William McNeill Rodewald, Charles C. Bull, George Gray, and Charles R. Spencer.

Tuesday Salon Concert at Sherry's.

The Tuesday Salon Concert will be held at Sherry's this afternoon under the direction of Mrs. Anson Dudley Bramhall. Mme. Marie Rappold, soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera Company; Miss Ada Sassoli, harpist, and Hugh Allan, baritone, of the Berlin Opera; William Janaushek, and Mrs. Waldemar Kaempffert will take part in the programme.

Columbia University Chorus Heard.

The Columbia University Chorus, with 250 voices, sang Sir Edward Elgar's "The Music Makers" and Hamilton Harty's "The Mystic Trumpeter" in concert last night at Carnegie Hall. Miss Mildred Potter, contralto, and Clarence Whitehall were the soloists. Walter Henry Hall, director of music at Columbia University and of the Brooklyn Oratorio Society, conducted, and the music was by an orchestra of sixty pieces. This was the second concert given by the chorus this season.

Swift & Company's sales of beef in New York City for the week ending Saturday, Jan. 30, averaged as follows: Domestic beef, 10.95 cents; imported beef, 10.13 cents per pound.—Advt.

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A NEW GERMAN SOPRANO.

Mme. Melanie Kurt Appears at the Metropolitan in "Tristan."

The Metropolitan Opera House has acquired a remarkably fine artist in Mme. Melanie Kurt, the German dramatic soprano, who made her first appearance here last evening in a performance of "Tristan und Isolde." That fact was demonstrated to experienced listeners early in the performance, and before the first act was finished Mme. Kurt had disclosed qualifications sufficient to establish herself in the admiration of the audience as an artist of high and in some respects the highest rank. Mme. Kurt comes from Berlin, where for some years she has been the leading dramatic soprano, and where she has had a reputation that has placed her among the foremost Wagner interpreters in Germany.

In making her first New York appearance in a part so arduous as that of Isolde, and one in which she has had so many illustrious predecessors here, Mme. Kurt courted some exacting comparisons, in which she held her own as not many today could do. Her voice is her greatest possession as an interpreter of the lyric drama. It is a veritable soprano, of a truly beautiful quality, of great power, ranging upward to a point where she took the highest tones of the part with certainty, without effort, without trepidation. Her intonation is of unusual accuracy. One of the delightful features of her art as she disclosed it in "Tristan" last evening was the clearness of her diction and the excellence of her declamation, which she has the subtle skill to fuse with a true cantabile style of singing and with a fine feeling for the molding of the phrase and a command of dramatic accent and poignant expression. Her singing, in short, is that of a true artist, endowed not only with rare qualities of voice, but with some of the finer fruits of study, and especially with intelligence.

Intelligence dominated all the aspects of her impersonation last evening. There have been greater, more moving interpretations from the dramatic point of view within the recent memory of operagoers; interpretations that reached a higher degree of tragic intensity and that displayed a greater resource, a greater finesse and subtlety in the means of dramatic expression. But if Mme. Kurt did not, in these respects, reach the very highest things, she gave an interpretation which was that of an accomplished actress, a mistress of stagecraft, thoroughly in command of her own powers, and showing a penetrating understanding of the character, a consistently maintained standard in its unfolding. Mme. Kurt presented a regal and imposing figure as the Irish princess; a force—perhaps somewhat too immobile—of pathetic traits; her movements and gestures had distinction and impressiveness.

It was not strange that Mme. Kurt made an immediate success and that she was recognized, evidently, as an important acquisition to the forces of the Metropolitan Opera House. After the first act she was recalled with much enthusiasm and persistence, and again after the second. She was left, in fact, in no doubt as to the admiration evidently aroused by her performance in all portions of the audience.

The rest of the performance was such as has been heard before at the Opera House in this and recent seasons. Mr. Toscanini conducted, and Mme. Matzenauer and Messrs. Urlus, Weil, and Witherspoon were heard in the other chief parts.

TO WED COLORADO HEIRESS.

N. J. V. d'Ambrogio, Once Factory Boy, to Marry Miss Maurine Daly.

Word comes from Denver that Miss Maurine Daly, daughter of the late Joseph Daly, a wealthy mine owner of Cripple Creek and Leadville, is to be married shortly to Natal J. V. d'Ambrogio, a student in the University of Colorado.

Young d'Ambrogio is a protégé of Miss Mary L. Pyle of Flushing, L. I., Principal of the Murray Hill School and active in the work of the Good Citizenship League of Queens and the New York Federation of Women's Clubs, who found him working twelve hours in a factory and sent him to public school. After returning to his home in Italy to study music, d'Ambrogio returned to this country and was sent to Colgate University, and then to Colorado, where he met Miss Daly.

JONES—HOLMES.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bartlett Jones of East Orange, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Gertrude B. Jones, to Henry Lamar Holmes of Orange, N. J. No date has been set for the wedding.

SCHAEFER—MOHR.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Schaefer of 8 East Eighty-second Street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elsa C. Schaefer, to Frederick K. Mohr, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mohr of Philadelphia.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. C. Monteith Gilpin has invitations out for a theatre party on Thursday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cadwalader of Philadelphia, who are her house guests.

Mrs. H. Hobart Porter will give a dinner this evening before the third Junior Assembly for her daughters, the Misses Porter.

Mrs. Edwin A. Stevens of Bernardsville, N. J., will give a large theatre party to morrow night, followed by a dance at Sherry's, for her daughter, Miss Emily Lewis Stevens.

The patronesses and the committee of The Two Dances will give a tea on Saturday, Feb. 6, at the Gotham for the members of the dances and their guests. The hostesses will include Mrs. Joseph Conron, Mrs. J. A. Farrell, Mrs. Michael J. Mulqueen, and Mrs. Francis N. Murray.

The wedding of Miss Katharine Duane, a daughter of Mrs. James May Duane, and William Stother Jones, Jr., will take place at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Church of Zion and St. Timothy in West Fifty-seventh Street.

Mrs. Richard Nott Dyer and her daughter, Mrs. Harry B. Mingle, are leaving Saturday for a two months' stay in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Bostwick are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at their home, 106 West Seventy-seventh Street. The child has been named Dudley Chase Bostwick.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. I. Goddard of Providence, R. I., are at the Hotel Gotham to remain until March 1.

BARONET GETS DIVORCE.

Sir Horace Proctor-Beauchamp Obtains Decree—Wife a New Yorker.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Lady Proctor-Beauchamp, formerly Miss Florence Leavitt, daughter of the late H. M. Leavitt of New York, was the defendant today in a divorce case brought by her husband, Sir Horace Proctor-Beauchamp, Bart., who named Capt. Harry F. Darell as co-respondent.

The marriage took place in 1892, and in 1904 husband and wife separated by mutual consent. In 1907 the husband went to Florida, and in the following year received a letter from his wife admitting her infidelity.

On succeeding his brother as sixth Baronet in 1912 Sir Horace returned to London and offered to take his wife back, but she refused. Then, in July, 1914, he received a letter from her saying she and Capt. Darell were staying together at the Great Central Hotel in London and expressing the hope that he would take divorce proceedings as soon as possible.

The court granted a decree nisi.

JOB FOR HALLERAN'S EX-WIFE

Appointed Deputy Financial Clerk in Queens County.

Miss Sara G. Connell, who was Mrs. Aloysius G. Halleran until last Spring, when she obtained a divorce with the right to assume her maiden name, yesterday began work as deputy financial clerk in the office of County Clerk Leonard Rouff of Queens. Her appointment was announced simultaneously with her assumption of the work. The place pays $2,000 a year.

"The appointment was a personal one and was also recommended by the Democratic organization of Queens," County Clerk Rouff said, yesterday.

Her appointment followed closely the announcement that Mr. Rouff was to be a candidate for renomination. It was reported among the politicians of Queens that the County Clerk and the Borough President had parted, politically.

FARLEY RECOGNIZES CATHOLIC PLAYERS

Cardinal Appoints the Rev. Dr. Delaney as Chaplain of the Actors' Guild.

CHATS WITH THE MEMBERS

Meeting and Reception Held at Cathedral College—St. Malachy's Now the Official Church.

An organization of actors was officially recognized by the New York Diocese of the Roman Catholic Church for the first time yesterday afternoon, when Cardinal Farley appointed the Rev. Dr. Joseph Delaney, pastor of St. Malachy's Church, Chaplain of the Catholic Actors' Guild. The guild held a largely attended meeting yesterday afternoon in the Assembly Hall of Cathedral College, Fifty-first Street and Madison Avenue, and Cardinal Farley was present. He addressed the actors, and then announced the appointment of the Chaplain.

Although the guild was founded about a year ago by the Rev. Dr. John Talbott Smith, rector of the Church of the Sacred Heart of Dobbs Ferry, it was never officially recognized by the highest ecclesiastical authority of the diocese as a Catholic organization.

"But," said the Cardinal in a reception following his introduction of the guild's Chaplain, "I do not want you stage folk to develop the idea that the Catholic Church now formally approves things on the stage. The Church deals with you as individuals, and as Roman Catholics."

A business meeting of the guild followed the unpretentious ceremony. Among those present were Jerry J. Cohan, First Vice President; William E. Cotter, Secretary; William Courtleigh, George M. Cohan, Wilton Lackaye, Brandon Tynan, Joseph Miron, and Estelle Grayson.

Cardinal Farley, in pointing out the need for a deep spiritual life because of the hard work actors must do in achieving fleeting fame, said:

"I know you work hard and study hard in your profession. You work and study harder, perhaps, than those of the other professions, and all your work and study is for a little passing fame, for you are forgotten after a time."

He then told a story which he said first made him realize the amount of work and study required in histrionic art. He said that while visiting Stratford-on-Avon some years ago, he met there a now famous actress who told him, in answer to an inquiry, that she had been there for days and would remain until the very spirit of Shakespeare had entered her soul so that she could give proper interpretation to an important rôle.

The Rev. Dr. Smith, who knew all the players, introduced them to the Cardinal and Dr. Delaney. The Cardinal then chatted with them for some time.

Dr. Smith said that from now on St. Malachy's could be considered the church of Catholic actors.

GARRISON URGES ARMY BILLS

Secretary of War Replies to Senator Chamberlain's Letter.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Lindley M. Garrison, Secretary of War, tonight made public an open letter to Senator George E. Chamberlain of Oregon, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, dealing with the plans of the Administration for strengthening the army as one of the elements required for national defense.

These plans were embraced in the so-called Garrison bills, which were introduced by Senator Chamberlain by request of the War Department. Secretary Garrison thought that these measures had the hearty support of Senator Chamberlain, but on Jan. 26 the Senator made public a letter he had written to the Secretary saying he did not, as a whole, approve of the various army reform bills, and expressing a feeling that nothing could be accomplished except to pass routine appropriation bills during the remainder of the session.

In his letter today Mr. Garrison made a strong statement in favor of the bills, asserting that they were in the line of any rational military needs, that they would fit in with any more elaborate plan for strengthening the army, and that they would be of great value if immediately enacted.

"I could understand," said Mr. Garrison, "opposition based upon the financial requirements, or proceeding from those who are convinced that nothing should be done to strengthen or improve our military situation."

Mr. Garrison suggested that persons outside of the department were getting the committee's ear and intimated that an officer of the General Staff had been transferred from Washington some time ago on account of his activities in this connection. This officer, whose name neither the Secretary nor Senator Chamberlain would divulge, Mr. Garrison said, was continuing his activities and had "caused his views to be published in several newspapers."

"It is a fact that all the bills had the approval of the General Staff excepting the Coast Artillery Increase bill," Mr. Garrison wrote. "That did not proceed from the General Staff, and it may be that the other branches of the army represented in that staff would not approve of increasing the Coast Artillery in a larger proportion than you increased other branches of the service.

"I felt that since we were so woefully behind in furnishing our quota for this essential work, we should make that up, even if it produced a disproportion. As you know, we have spent at least $160,000,000 in coast defenses and have relied upon the National Guard to furnish one-half the personnel, and have agreed to furnish the other half from the regular army. The National Guard has not been able to fulfil its part, and we have not come anywhere near filling our part. All that I am asking for is that we should live up to our own agreement in this respect.

"Certainly it seems to me to be a situation that we cannot longer permit to endure—that these great coast defense forts should have no trained personnel to handle them. This personnel cannot be improvised; and the guns might as well be dismantled if we are not to have trained men to handle them."

Mailers' Union No. 6 Entertains.

The annual entertainment and reception of Mailers' Union No. 6 was held last night at Palm Garden, Fifty-eighth Street, near Third Avenue. The entertainment was under the direction of the Actors' International Union, Local No. 1, the music by Prof. John F. Nolan, and, as usual, it was well attended both by the mailers and their many newspaper friends.

SEEKS BOY SHE GAVE AWAY.

Mrs. Beeson Wants to Find Lad Who Deserted Riches.

It was nine years ago that Mrs. John Henry Beeson, now of 5 West Sixty-fifth Street, but then a nurse on Ward's Island and a young widow whose husband, Dr. John Strain, had died three months before the birth of her son, six years before, gave the lad to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson, who lived then at 54 West Sixty-eighth Street. Mrs. Strain felt that she could not give the boy the advantages she knew he should have so she gave him legally into the care of the Andersons.

But although she presently became Mrs. Beeson, she continued to live near the Anderson home, and daily watched her son as he went to and from school. But she never let the boy see her, and when he did get a glimpse of her one day he did not recognize her. Presently he was old enough to go to Peddie Institute, at Heightstown, N. J., and Mrs. Beeson no longer saw him daily, but a month ago, when the boy was at home for the Christmas holidays, Mr. Anderson, whose wife had died, brought him to his mother's home.

"Ddley looked at me strangely," said the mother yesterday. "He never took his eyes from mine and before he left he said: 'I think you are my mother; You are my mother, aren't you? I hope you are for I am very unhappy.'"

Then he went back to school, but last Tuesday he quarreled with his foster father and left the house saying he would never return. Mr. Anderson notified Mrs. Beeson and she advertised at once in the papers for her boy to return. He is known as Terrence Dudley Anderson, but his mother and her second husband want to go back to England and if Terence will only go to her his mother plans to keep him with her always, give him back to the name of Strain, and bring him up to manhood in the home of his father. Mr. Anderson has said he may go.

DENY ROCKEFELLER DEAL.

Owners of Consolidation Coal Stock Say They Haven't Sold Holdings.

Reports heard for several days in the financial district that John D. Rockefeller had recently bought extensively of Consolidation Coal Company stock turned yesterday to a rumor that he had bought control of the company. It was said that he had obtained the large holdings of ex-United States Senator Clarence W. Watson of West Virginia, A. B. Fleming and H. Crawford Black, and had, in addition, bought $7,000,000 two-year 7 per cent. convertible bonds of the coal company.

President J. H. Wheelwright of the company said over the telephone last night from Senator Watson's house, at 636 Fifth Avenue, that Mr. Rockefeller had not bought the stock holdings of the three men mentioned, and that control of the concern was not in the oil man's hands so far as he knew.

"Senator Watson, Mr. Fleming, Mr. Crawford, and I have not sold any of our stock," said he. "What we have does not carry control of the company, but in the aggregate it amounts to a substantial interest. Apparently, the stories heard during the last few days were made out of thin air. The only real development that I know about has to do with the sale of debenture bonds for the purpose of financing the company for the next two years. The $7,000,000 bonds have been sold, and the company is now in a position to carry on development work that we have desired to undertake for some time.

"The company owns 300,000 acres of coal land. There is no intention of buying more. The funds raised from the bond sale will be used entirely for development purposes."

Mr. Wheelwright said he did not know whether any of the bonds had been bought for the account of Mr. Rockefeller. He declined to discuss the method of sale and withheld the name of the underwriter.

NO CITY TAX ON INCOMES.

Mayor Says Such a Proposal Needn't Be Taken Seriously.

A tentative suggestion made by the Mayor's Tax Commission that the city's revenue should be increased by taxing all incomes above $2,000 a year caused considerable discussion about the City Hall yesterday until Mayor Mitchel advised that the suggestion should not be taken too seriously. The commission which was appointed by the Mayor to consider new sources of revenue reported to the Board of Estimate at a special meeting yesterday the income tax plan, as well as the suggestion of a tax on unearned increment and an occupation tax on the rent of all who occupy stores, lofts, or entire buildings as business places. It was also said that the commission suggested a habitation tax on all persons living in rented dwellings or apartments, but the Mayor denied this.

"Will it be necessary to get legislation in order to fix any more taxes on the city?" the Mayor was asked.

"Undoubtedly," he replied.

"Regarding this tax matter," the Mayor went on, "I really think that nothing but harm can come of forecasts on this subject, because a forecast, ninety-nine out of a hundred times, will be wrong. We concluded this morning that it would be wiser to lay this matter aside for the time being."

WAR RELIEF FUND DANCE.

British-American Benefit at Home Club—Artists Entertain.

Many dinners preceded the dance given last night in the ballroom of the Home Club, at 11 East Forty-fifth Street, for the benefit of the British American War Relief Fund, arranged by Miss Mary Hoyt Wiborg. There were other parties who came to supper after the opera.

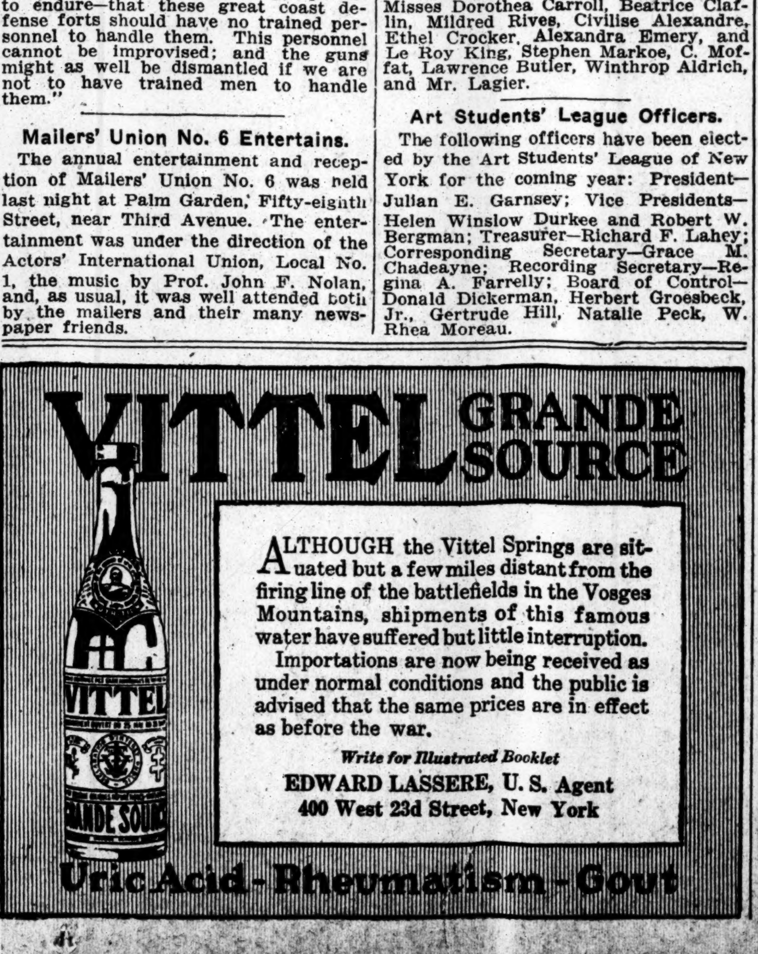
The artists who entertained the guests included Miss Fay Compton, George Grossmith, Maurice Farkoa, and Miss Ina Claire.

Mrs. Newbold Le Roy Edgar, Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, Mrs. Charles E. Greenough, Mrs. Frederick W. Whitridge, Mrs. Ogden L. Mills, Mrs. Robert L. Gerry, Harry S. Black, Albert L. Hoffman, and Miss Wiborg were among those who entertained at dinner.

Mr. Hoffman's dinner was at his home, 58 East Seventy-ninth Street, and his guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Iselin, Mrs. F. Burrall Hoffman, the Misses Dorothea Carroll, Beatrice Claflin, Mildred Rives, Civilise Alexandre, Ethel Crocker, Alexandra Emery, and Le Roy King, Stephen Markoe, C. Moffat, Lawrence Butler, Winthrop Aldrich, and Mr. Lagier.

Art Students' League Officers.

The following officers have been elected by the Art Students' League of New York for the coming year: President—Julian E. Garnsey; Vice Presidents—Helen Winslow Durkee and Robert W. Bergman; Treasurer—Richard F. Lahey; Corresponding Secretary—Grace M. Chadeayne; Recording Secretary—Regina A. Farrelly; Board of Control—Donald Dickerman, Herbert Groesbeck, Jr., Gertrude Hill, Natalie Peck, W. Rhea Moreau.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ALTHOUGH the Vittel Springs are situated but a few miles distant from the firing line of the battlefields in the Vosges Mountains, shipments of this famous water have suffered but little interruption.

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SAYS HARTMAN GOT HER $635,000 ESTATE

Mrs. Mackenzie Testifies That ex-Head of Tyson & Co. Made Her a Bankrupt.

GAVE HIM ALL HER STOCK

Widow of Brother of Singer Company's Former Head Has Even Had to Sell Her Furniture.

Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie, widow of James S. Mackenzie, whose brother, Alexander R. Mackenzie, was formerly head of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, told a jury in the Criminal Term of the Supreme Court yesterday of her transactions with Richard J. Hartman, ex-President of Tyson & Co., ticket brokers, as a result of which Hartman is on trial for grand larceny. Mrs. Mackenzie charges that Hartman stole her entire fortune, amounting to $635,000.

There are three indictments against Hartman, who for several weeks after his arrest was in the Tombs because he was unable to furnish bail. They specify the larceny of $133,000. Most of the money which is alleged to have been stolen was in shares of stock in the Singer Sewing Machine Company, which Mr. Mackenzie left her when he died, in 1907. Mrs. Mackenzie is now a bankrupt. Early last year she was forced to give up her home, in Eighty-ninth Street, and in February her furniture was sold at auction to satisfy debts amounting to $6,346. At that time an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed against her.

Mrs. Mackenzie testified that she met Hartman in 1908 in London. He was agreeable, and seemed to be a prosperous business man, and soon won his way into the favor of Mrs. Mackenzie, who was then managing her own affairs. Mrs. Mackenzie said that, as she had no business agent, she consulted Hartman in many affairs. In 1911, she said, he learned that she owed money on loans to two corporations in Jersey City, the Hudson County National Bank and the New Jersey Title Guarantee and Trust Company. The former was secured by 336 shares of stock in the Singer Manufacturing Company and the latter by 1,104 shares of the same corporation.

Hartman offered to pay the loans for her, she testified, and to allow her to owe him the amount of them. She consented to the arrangement. Gradually, she said, Hartman got possession of the stock and paid her dividends. Finally she learned that the stock was gone.

So great was her confidence in Hartman, she testified, that even when she began to be anxious about the stock when the dividends stopped, she did not distrust him. She said that they went to the Seaboard Bank on several occasions to make sure that the stock was all right, and she waited outside while Hartman investigated alone and then told her that the stock was there.

William S. Maguire, ex-Assistant District Attorney, was described in the opening address of Assistant District Attorney Weller as "Hartman's cat's-paw." Maguire was Hartman's counsel, and, according to the testimony of Mrs. Mackenzie, the lawyer was Hartman's agent.

Mrs. Mackenzie's testimony was not finished yesterday. She will resume when court opens at 10:30 o'clock today.

CZAR'S MEDAL FOR QUEEN.

Conferred for Heroism in Ministering to Wounded Belgians.

HAVRE, (via Paris,) Feb. 2.—The Military Medal has been conferred on the Queen of the Belgians by Emperor Nicholas of Russia in recognition of the Queen's heroism in ministering to wounded soldiers at the risk of her own life.

The medal was presented to the Queen at the Belgian Army Headquarters by Major Gen. Prince Felix Youssoupoff of the Czar's suite.

Louis Meyer, Manager, Dead.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The theatrical manager, Louis Meyer, is dead.

Mr. Meyer was in his forty-fourth year, and was a native of Birmingham. His first theatrical venture was in 1910, when he became the manager of "The Woman in the Case." He then became manager of the Globe Theatre, and the Criterion. In 1912 he became the lessee of the Strand, where he produced "The Son and Heir" and "The Chaperons" in 1913. Mr. Meyer was also the managing director of the Garrick Renters, Ltd., and was the art editor and managing director of London Opinion.

GEN. LUKE O'CONNOR DEAD.

Veteran Who Won Victoria Cross in Crimean War Was 83.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Major General Sir Luke O'Connor, who rose from the ranks after winning the Victoria Cross at Alma in the Crimean War, died yesterday.

Major General Sir Luke O'Connor, who was born in 1832 was a private in the Royal Welsh Fusiliers in 1849, a Sergeant in 1850 and a Major General in 1887. He served in the Crimean War and was present at the relief of Lucknow in the Indian mutiny.

Police Lieut. Lasky.

Police Lieut. Max Lasky of the Thirty-ninth Precinct, a member of the department for twenty-six years, died yesterday at Mount Sinai Hospital, in his fifty-third year. He was a native of Russian Poland, and came to this country as a child. Lieut. Lasky enlisted in the United States Army thirty years ago, and during his five years' service took part in several Indian campaigns.

Lieut. Lasky was a member of the Lieutenants' Association, the George B. McClellan Garrison, an organization of former United States soldiers now serving in the department; the Free Sons of Judah, the Masons, and the Royal Arcanum. He celebrated his silver wedding anniversary six months ago, and, besides his widow, is survived by three sons.

Last of Kane Arctic Survivors Dies.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Feb. 1.—Amos Bonsall, the last of the survivors of the Elisha Kent Kane Arctic Expedition, died at his home here today, in his eighty-sixth year. He was born in Delaware County, Penn., and educated at Bolmar Academy in West Chester, Penn. In 1853 Mr. Bonsall went with Dr. Kane, as a master's mate in the United States Navy, in the expedition to recover the body of Sir John Franklin. He was a member of the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble Minded Children at Elwyn, Penn., for thirty-two years and for the last twenty-two years was a manager of the Philadelphia House of Refuge at Glen Mills, Penn.

Henry Doherty Dies in Los Angeles.

Henry Doherty, President of the Henry Doherty Silk Company of Lakeview, N. J., died yesterday in Los Angeles, Cal., where he had gone a few days ago for his health. His death ends a six weeks' trip through the West in search of more favorable climatic conditions. Mr. Doherty was one of the wealthiest silk manufacturers of the Paterson district, and belonged to the Silk Association of America and the Hamilton Club of Paterson. He is survived by a widow, three sons, William, Raymond, and Henry, all of Lakeview, and a daughter, Mrs. T. G. Schoonmaker of Paterson.

William J. Rogers.

William J. Rogers, for many years President of the Borden Condensed Milk Company, died last night at his home, 58 Reynolds Terrace, Orange, N. J., from heart disease. He retired from business four years ago. Born in New York seventy-one years ago, Mr. Rogers lived here and on Staten sland until twenty-five years ago, when he took up his residence in Orange. He was a Director of the Irving National Bank of this city, an official of the Homeopathic Hospital of Essex County, and a Vestryman of St. Andrew's Church, South Orange. Five sons and three daughters survive.

Obituary Notes.

JAMES MEIKLEJOHN, father of President Alexander Meiklejohn of Amherst College, died in Pawtucket, R. I., yesterday, aged 81 years. He was a native of Scotland and came to the United States about forty-five years ago.

FRANK L. MAYES, owner and editor of The Pensacola Journal, and part owner of The Meridian (Miss.) Dispatch, died in Pensacola, Fla., yesterday, aged 41.

Dr. ANDREW DICKSON PACKER, a graduate of Yale University and the Long Island College Hospital, died yesterday at his residence, 262 Hicks Street, Brooklyn, in his 37th year. Dr. Packer had practiced medicine in that borough for the last eight years. In August, 1911, he married Miss Sophie Graham Booker, who survives him, with his mother, Mrs. William S. Packer; his sister and a brother, the Rev. W. S. Packer.

Mrs. AUGUSTA SIMONS, active in the work of the Brooklyn Jewish Hospital Society and wife of Abraham Simons, a retired manufacturing tailor, died on Sunday at her home, 63 Stuyvesant Avenue, Brooklyn, from diabetes. She was 57 years of age.

Mrs. LOUISE SHERMAN DRAPER, widow of Lieut. Col. Gilbert A. Draper, who was killed in battle during the civil war, died yesterday at her residence, 775 East Thirty-second Street, Flatbush, from heart disease. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William B. Vernam and Mrs. Martin R. Fisher.

WILLIAM H. BENNETT, a life-long resident of Long Branch, N. J., died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John W. Woolley, 517 Broadway, yesterday. Mr. Bennett was born in Long Branch April 23, 1833. Early in life he was a contractor. In 1884 he was appointed a deputy keeper in the New Jersey State Prison, and was later made Postmaster by President Cleveland. He represented Monmouth County in the Assembly in 1876 and 1877.

JAMES S. MORRISON, formerly a passenger conductor on the Pennsylvania Railroad, died yesterday at his home in Hillside, N. J., in his eightieth year. He went into the dairy business after leaving the railroad.

ELLERY S. ALLEN, who was in the coastwise trade for sixty years, died on Sunday at his home, 2,441 Seventh Avenue, in his seventy-eighth year. He started as a purser for the Cromwell Line, which ran between this port and New Orleans, and was manager of the line in 1902, when it was absorbed by the Southern Pacific Company. Mr. Allen was with this company until 1907, when he retired.

Last Two Days

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OLD CHURCH COMES TO END.

Madison Av. Reformed Property Will Pass to Central Presbyterian.

The Madison Avenue Reformed Church, at the corner of Fifty-seventh Street and Madison Avenue, dating from 1808 and having property that has long been held at $1,000,000, will pass out of existence. It is the third large Reformed Church on Manhattan Island to come to an end within two years. Yesterday the New York Presbytery gave permission to the Central Presbyterian Church, Fifty-seventh Street, near Seventh Avenue, of which the Rev. Dr. Wilton Merle Smith is pastor, to purchase the property and remove thither. It was reported that the property can be purchased for $400,000. It has a mortgage on it of $250,000, and a good many of the remaining Reformed Church people will turn Presbyterians and retain their old pews. In times past some of the best-known families of New York have belonged to this Reformed Church.

The Central property is said to be worth $450,000 without debt. Its sale will pay off the debt on the Reformed Church property, and the Central congregation, one of the wealthy ones of New York, will pay the balance. Some of the proceeds of the sale will be used to strengthen Bethany Memorial Chapel on the east side, which Central Church will control.

Sir Hamilton Goold-Adams Here.

Major Sir Hamilton Goold-Adams, the newly appointed Governor of Queensland, and Lady Goold-Adams arrived yesterday on the Cunarder Franconia. They will go from here to Montreal before journeying to Queensland.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Engaged.

DORFMAN—COHEN.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cohen announce the betrothal of their daughter, Gertrude, to Mr. Meyer Dorfman.

MESHEL—RAPP.—Flossie Rapp to Harry Meshel.

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OWEN—DEAN.—Jan. 31, Harriet V. Dean to William C. Owen.

QUIGLEY—GALLAGHER.—Jan. 31, Harriet C. Gallagher to Michael J. Quigley.

STERN—GOLDSCHMIDT.—Jan. 31, Adele Goldschmidt to Oscar H. Stern.

Died.

BAKER.—On Feb. 1, 1915, at her residence, 2,650 Marion Av., Bronx, Elizabeth Baker, (nee Cremins.) Funeral on Wednesday at 9 A. M., thence to the Church of Our Lady of Mercy, where requiem mass will be offered. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

BREEZE.—On Monday, Feb. 1, 1915, at his residence, 124 West 96th St., William John Breeze, husband of Maud Phillips Breeze. Funeral private.

BROOKS.—James, on Monday, Feb. 1, at his residence, 616 West 137th St. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BUHRMAN.—At The Alley, Douglaston, N. Y., Sunday, Jan. 31, 1915, Mary E., widow of the late William C. Buhrman, in the 87th year of her age. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services at Zion Church, Douglaston, N. Y., on Feb. 3, 1915, 2:15 P. M. Carriages waiting at Douglaston Depot, at arrival of train leaving Pennsylvania Depot 1:22 P. M.

CODDINGTON.—At Avon Dassett, England, Dec. 30, Elizabeth Mageveney, widow of Andrew C. Coddington. Interment Woodlands, Philadelphia, Jan. 31.

DRAKE.—Henry Edward, beloved husband of Eleanora Forrester, at his home, Saturday morning. Funeral services on Tuesday, at 2 P. M., at the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Clinton St. and Third Place, Brooklyn. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

DRAPER.—On Monday, Feb. 1, 1915, at her home, 775 East 32d St., Brooklyn (Vanderveer Park,) N. Y., Mrs. Louise Sherman Draper, widow of the late Lieut. Col. Gilbert A. Draper of the One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Regiment, N. Y. S. V. Services at her late residence, Tuesday evening, Feb. 2, at 8 o'clock.

EINTRACHT.—Monday, Feb. 1, in his 69th year, David Eintracht, beloved husband of Gertrude. Funeral from his late residence, 2,194 Seventh Av., Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 10 A. M.

FERRIS.—Suddenly, on Jan. 31, Cornelia Swart Ferris, wife of the late Isaac Warde Ferris, M. D., and daughter of the late Judge Peter S. Danforth. Funeral services from her residence, 31 West 11th St., New York, Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 11:30 A. M.

GILLERAN.—Michael J., husband of Elizabeth, and father of Edward P., on Jan. 31, at his late residence, 322 East 197th St. Funeral Tuesday A. M.

HOWE.—On Sunday, Jan. 31, Patrick J. Howe, after a prolonged illness. A private funeral will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 2, 1915, at 9:30 A. M., from his late residence, 341 East 18th St., thence to the Epiphany Church, 2d Av. and 22d St. Interment Calvary.

KIPP.—At Ossining, N. Y., Jan. 31, 1915, William Cornell Kipp. Funeral service on Wednesday, Feb. 3, at half-past 2 o'clock, at his late residence, 84 South Highland Av., Ossining. Kindly omit flowers.

KREIELSHEIMER.—Louis, of Perth Amboy, N. J., beloved husband of Lena, father of Irvin and Theresa, Sunday, Jan. 31, 1915. Funeral services Tuesday, Feb. 2, at Mount Hope Cemetery, 1:30 P. M. Cortege will leave Liberty Street Ferry 12:30.

LANCASTER.—Sunday, Jan. 31, 1915, Anna Edwina, daughter of the late Rev. Daniel Lancaster, in the 83d year of her age. Funeral services at the Broadway Tabernacle, Broadway and 56th St., Tuesday, the 2d inst., 2 P. M. Boston papers please copy.

LANE.—Denis, age 83 years, on Jan. 31, father of John J., Jeremiah, and Patrick H. Lane. Funeral from his late residence, 2,019 Hughes Av., on Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 9:30 A. M.; thence to St. Joseph's Church at 10 A. M. Interment Calvary.

LASKY.—Max, aged 52, late Lieutenant Thirty-ninth Precinct, beloved husband of Eva Jungmann, father of Alfred, Sidney, and Herbert, after a short illness. Funeral from his late residence, 52 East 89th St., Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 9:30 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

MAGER.—On Sunday the 31st, Tillie Mager, widow of the late George Mager, aged 60 years, survived by daughter Marie and son Frank. Funeral from residence, 940 Castlehill Av., Unionport, Wednesday, 2 P. M.

O'SHEA.—At Newport, R. I., on Jan. 27, Timothy O'Shea, for over fifty years a faithful friend and servant in the family of Daniel B. Fearing.

PACKER.—Andrew Dickson Packer, son of Mary K. and the late William Satterlee Packer, suddenly, at his home, 262 Hicks St., Brooklyn, on the morning of Feb. 1. Funeral services at his late residence Wednesday, at 2 o'clock.

PHELPS.—On Feb. 1, at 219 West 81st St., Harold J. D. Phelps, aged 16 years, son of Mrs. Ethel Phelps and the late D. F. Phelps.

PUTNAM.—Henry W., on Friday, Jan. 29, at San Diego, Cal., in his 90th year. Interment at Bennington, Vt.

ROBINSON.—On Sunday, Jan. 31, 1915, at his residence, New Rochelle, N. Y., Thomas Robinson, in his 82d year. Funeral private.

ROBINSON.—At Martinsburg, W. Va., Jan. 31, 1915, Max Robinson, aged 53, husband of Eleanor S. and brother of David Robinson of New York. Interment at Savannah, Ga., Feb. 2, 1915.

RODENSTEIN.—On Jan. 31, at his residence, 790 Riverside Drive, Louis A. Rodenstein, M. D., in his 81st year. Funeral services at the Chapel of the Intercession, 155th St. and Broadway, Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 10:30 A. M. Interment at Greenfield Cemetery, Hempstead, L. I.

ROGERS.—At his residence, 58 Reynolds Terrace, Orange, N. J., Feb. 1, 1915, William T. Rogers, in his 72d year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

ROTHENBERG.—Mollie, aged 90, mother of Bernard Rothenberg, Mrs. Samuel Buchenholz, Mrs. Dora Manne, Mrs. Henry Thorn, and beloved grandmother of Mrs. Nathan Samose, (nee Celia Thorn.) Funeral Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock from her daughter's residence, 600 West 136th St.

SHAPERO.—On Feb. 1, 1915, Paul Shapero, beloved husband of Helen and father of William, Isidor, Jacob, and Frances. Funeral from his late residence, 401 West 57th, Tuesday, Feb. 2, 1915, at 1 P. M. Interment at Washington Cemetery.

STANNARD.—Suddenly, on Saturday, Jan. 30, 1915, Frederick W., beloved husband of Mary J. Stannard, (nee Western,) age 63 years. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend service on Monday, Feb. 1, at 8 P. M., at his residence, 3,459 Boulevard, Jersey City. Funeral private.

VON BARGEN.—On Monday, Feb. 1, 1915, at his residence, 1,597 Avenue A, Charles H. Von Bargen, in his 58th year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WARD.—At Weybridge, England, on Friday, Jan. 15, 1915, Leslie Perry Ward, son of the late Dr. Leslie D. Ward of Newark, N. J., in his fortieth year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral at South Park Presbyterian Church, Broad St. and Clinton Av., Newark, at 2 P. M. Wednesday, Feb. 3. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Newark.

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WEBER.—On Sunday, Jan. 31, 1915, Valentine Weber, son of Frank and Elizabeth Weis Weber. Funeral from his late residence, 3,315 Broadway, Wednesday morning at 9:30. Solemn high mass at the Church of the Annunciation, Convent Av. and 131st St., at 10 o'clock. Interment in family plot Saint Raymond Cemetery.

WILLETT.—In Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 1, 1915, Martha S. Randolph, widow of George W. Willett, in her 83d year. Friends are invited to attend the funeral at her late home, No. 555 Clinton Avenue, Wednesday, the 3d instant, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. Burial at Mountain Grove Cemetery.

ALLEN.—Ellery S., 2,441 7th Av., Jan. 31, aged 78.

DUNN.—Jennie H., 458 West 131st St., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

EGAN.—Bessie, 167 East 64th St., Jan. 31. Funeral today, 1:30 P. M.

ETTINGER.—Charles S., 64 West 104th St., Jan. 30.

FLAHERTY.—Michael J., 439 10th Av., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

GRALEY.—Margaret E., 62 Buchanan Place, Bronx, Jan. 31. Funeral today, 1 P. M.

JENKS.—Harriet E., Jan. 31. Funeral 171 8th Av.

KILGANNON.—Michael J., 202 East 43d St., Jan 31. Funeral today.

LICHTENSTERN.—Rosa T., 319 East 85th St., Jan. 31. Funeral today, noon.

McGUIRE.—Bernard, 248 East 80th St., Jan. 30. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

MULSTER.—Mary A., 520 51st St., Jan. 31. Funeral notice later.

MURRAY.—Maria, 752 West End Av., Jan. 31, aged 76. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

NUGENT.—Harry, 452 Manhattan Av., Jan. 31. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

O'CONNOR.—Catherine, 157 East 106th St., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

PRYOR.—Kate S., Jan. 31, aged 54. Funeral 223 8th Av., today, 12:30 P. M.

SMITH.—Johanna, 519 West 29th St., Jan. 31 Funeral today, 10 A. M.

Brooklyn.

ASPELL.—Michael, 296 New Jersey Av., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

BARNES.—William R., 495 Warren St., Jan. 30, aged 42. Funeral tomorrow.

BUSCH.—Michael, 438 Central Av., Jan. 31, aged 35. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

DEARING.—Louis, 874 Myrtle Av., Jan. 30, aged 62.

DOODY.—James, 135 Bergen St., Feb. 1. Funeral tomorrow.

GARCIA.—Francisco R., 258 Reid Av., Jan. 31, aged 42. Funeral service today.

GRAUE.—Frederick, 957 Lafayette Av., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

HANNIGAN.—John, Holy Family Hospital, Jan. 31. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

HAUCK.—Mary, 9 Covert St., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

HAYSLIP.—Gertrude B., 851 Manhattan Av., Jan. 30, aged 29. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

HURLEY.—Ellen, 313 Clarkson St., Jan. 30.

JOLLEY.—Catherine, 331 Livingston St., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

KERWIN.—Michael, 121 Bergen St., Jan. 31, aged 61. Funeral tomorrow, 2:30 P. M.

KOHLE.—Anna, 2,041 Gates Av., Jan. 31, aged 65. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

JONES.—Thomas R., 43 Ryerson St., Jan. 31, aged 78.

LAMBERT.—Mary, 130 Clermont Av., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

McCABE.—Catherine, 30 1st St., Jan. 30, aged 47. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

MISSEN.—Grace E., 464 Herkimer St., Jan. 31.

MITCHELL.—Clara G., 308 Lincoln Road, Jan. 31. Funeral today.

MORROW.—Agnes W., 3,724 Avenue J, Jan. 31. Funeral private.

NOONAN.—Mary E., 24 Clinton St., Jan. 31. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

PETERSON.—Lucinia, 865 Onderdonk Av.

RODGERSON.—Bridget, Rochester Av. and Rutland Road, Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

RYAN.—Margaret, 720 President St., Jan. 31. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

SCHUTT.—Heinrich B., 474 Grand Av., Jan. 31, aged 54. Funeral tomorrow.

SEATON.—Edward N., 55 Stuyvesant Av., Jan. 31, aged 26.

SIEBERN.—William N., 80 Orange St., Jan. 31, aged 58. Funeral today, 11 A. M.

SIMONS.—Augusta, 63 Stuyvesant Av., Jan. 31, aged 58. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

SMITH.—James J., 370 Elton St., Jan. 30. Funeral today, 9:45 A. M.

SULLIVAN.—William V., 552 9th St., Jan. 31.

SUSSIECK.—Dersina, 562 Lorimer St., Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

BROWN.—Thomas, 221 Summer Av., Newark, Feb. 1.

CLOSE.—Gideon A., 1,162 Broad St., Newark, Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

DAVIS.—Louise E., 331 Varick St., Jersey City, Feb. 1.

DELANEY.—Edward, 236 10th St., Jersey City, Jan. 31.

DIEHL.—Anna M., 13 Stegman St., Jersey City, Jan. 30, aged 20. Funeral today, 8 A. M.

FOGARTY.—Daniel, 32½ Oakland Av., Jersey City, Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

HAMPSON.—Emma, 71 Cutler St., Newark, Jan. 30, aged 69. Funeral tomorrow, 2:30 P. M.

HETHERTON.—William, 74 Rutgers St., Newark, Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 8:30 A. M.

JACKENS.—George E., 68 Siedler St., Jersey City, Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

JEFFERIES.—Mary, 9 Mulberry Place, Newark, Jan. 31.

LISTER.—Jennie J., West Hoboken, Jan. 30. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

McCLELLAND.—Frank G., 25 Monticello Av., Jersey City, Jan. 31.

MURTHA.—Helen, 304 Lafayette St., Newark, Jan. 31. Funeral tomorrow, 8:30 A. M.

NEWMAN.—Catharine A., 53 Crawford St., Newark, Jan. 31, aged 74.

SCHARRINGHAUSEN.—Henrietta, 272 14th Av., Newark, Jan. 31, aged 55.

SCHMOHL.—Albert, 32 Cottage St., Jersey City, Jan. 30. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

SCOTT.—Isabella, 394 Grove St., Jersey City, Jan. 30, aged 20.

SIMPSON.—Alexander, 241 Ege Av., Jersey City, Jan. 31. Funeral private.

SOMERINDYKE.—Pamella H., 23 Cottage St., Jersey City, Jan. 31. Funeral service today.

STRUSS.—Amanda, 335 Clinton Av., West Hoboken, Jan. 30, aged 54. Funeral today.

WALKER.—Frederick C., 209 Camden St., Newark, Jan. 31. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

Long Island.

BREWSTER.—Theresa C., Bay Shore, Jan. 31. Funeral service today.

DE GUZMAN.—Robert, Corona, Jan. 30, aged 3. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

DELANO.—Charles A., Jamaica, Jan. 30, aged 85. Funeral service today.

KRUEGER.—Ernest, Richmond Hill, Jan. 30, aged 60.

SMITH.—Jennie A., Great Neck, Jan. 31, aged 77. Funeral today, 11 A. M.

Westchester County.

HUNT.—Carrie, Mount Vernon, Jan. 30. Funeral private.

KELLNER.—Elizabeth M., New Rochelle, Jan. 31, aged 94. Funeral service today.

In Memoriam.

IMMEN.—C. Henry, Feb. 2, 1914.
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FARRELLY.—Very Rev. Patrick J., mass St. Brigid's Church, Brooklyn, tomorrow, 10 A.M.

LE GLISE.—Margaret, mass St. Columba's Church, Newark, N. J., today, 8 A. M.

McGOVERN.—Mary, mass St. Joseph's Church, Newark, N. J., today, 8 A. M.

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DAY'S NEWS IN BASEBALL WORLD---MOTOR BOAT SHOW---BOXING---ATHLETICS

NO MORE JOY RIDING IN FEDERAL LEAGUE

Players Must Be in Condition and Observe Rules, Says President Gilmore.

It was announced by President James A. Gilmore of the Federal League during his recent visit here that a big gathering of the Federal League clans would be held at Buffalo in about three weeks. Not only the club owners will be present, but also the managers, and President Gilmore expects to lay down the law to the managers concerning a new policy of discipline which is to be enforced next season.

Some of the players in the Federal League last year took things pretty easy, and they regarded many of the trips around the circuit as "joy rides." President Gilmore is going to put an end to "joy riding," and next season the players have got to show a lot more ambition and interest and play the game for all it is worth. No more late hours will be tolerated.

If any of the players show up next Spring in as poor condition as some of them did last year, President Gilmore announces that the league will not hesitate to drop them, no matter who they are. Some of the players who signed long-term contracts regarded their jobs as secure last season and took things pretty easy. These players have got to show something next season, or there is trouble in store for them.

The Federal League proposes to profit next season by the mistakes of last season. On account of the difficulty of obtaining players last season the league was very lenient with those who violated the rules of training and discipline.

The league at the Buffalo meeting will adopt a system of suspension and fines, and it proposes to enforce it so rigidly that there will be just as good behavior in the Federal League as there is in the major leagues.

Before leaving this city for Chicago, President Gilmore stated that the baseball men in New England with whom he conferred last Saturday were all willing to put up a bonus of $2,500 to insure their good faith in the new minor league venture. It is not the object of the Federal League to have the minor league under its protection, but to form a sort of new independent minor league, which can dispose of its players to both the Federal League and organized ball. It is improbable, however, that organized ball would do business with any league not under the jurisdiction of the National Association of Minor League Clubs.

Nothing will be done about the organization of the new minor league until after the Federal League meeting at Buffalo, at which the schedule will also be adopted. This is now being drafted by Robert B. Ward, Vice President of the league, and Secretary Lloyd Rickert of St. Louis.

TWO CLUBS DROPPED.

Eastern Association Lets Out Waterbury and New Britain.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 1.—The Waterbury and New Britain Clubs were dropped from the Eastern Baseball Association at the adjourned annual meeting of the Directors of that organization here today. This reduces the circuit to a six-team league, made up of Hartford, New Haven, Bridgeport, and New London, in Connecticut, and Springfield and Pittsfield in Massachusetts.

For several seasons past the Waterbury and New Britain Clubs have been losing ventures financially, and today's action by the Directors had been forecast for some time. Since the Cleveland Club of the American League withdrew its interest in the Waterbury Club unsuccessful efforts had been made to finance it locally.

Manager William Scinski of the New Britain Club had been endeavoring to transfer his franchise for New Britain to Northampton, Mass., which was at one time in the league, but his efforts, it is understood, met with little encouragement in that city.

The much discussed subject of possible consolidation of the Eastern Association and the New England League was dismissed by the Directors with very brief discussion, as was the proposed invasion of New England by the Federal League. In regard to the question of consolidation, President James H. O'Rourke of the association reminded the Directors that each league was bound by a five-year working agreement, and any action looking to consolidation would require a unanimous vote of all the clubs of both leagues. He did not believe such a vote could be had.

Higher Class Denied Colonial League

The National Association of Minor League Baseball Clubs, through its Secretary, John H. Farrell of Auburn, has turned down the request of the Colonial League of New England for advancement from Class C to Class B rating. The grounds for the refusal were that the six cities of the Colonial had an aggregate population of 396,831, while a league must have a population of 400,000 to get Class B rating. The cities of the Colonial League are Brockton, Woonsocket, Fall River, New Bedford, Taunton, and Pawtucket. While the Colonial League was in no way connected with the Federal League, it is known that the Wards, owners of the Brookfeds, financed the league last season and the circuit could never have finished its schedule if it had not been for this assistance. Alexander Bannwart of Providence is President of the Colonial League.

Superbas Sign Young Pitcher.

The Brooklyn National League Club has signed Pitcher Sherrod Smith of Newark. He is a left-hander, but was hampered in his work last season with a sore arm. Smith pitched with Ed Pfeffer in Grand Rapids, and the Brooklyn star says Pfeffer predicts that he will become a star. He is 23 years old and weighs 180 pounds. Last season with Newark he won eight and lost twelve games.

National League Meeting Feb. 9.

President John K. Tener of the National League yesterday issued the call for the annual schedule meeting, which will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria on Tuesday, Feb. 9. The Board of Directors will get together before the regular meeting and finish the routine business which was left over last Fall. The schedule committee will make its report and the schedule will be announced. President Tener will also announce his staff of umpires for next season.

Compton Dayton Club's Manager.

DAYTON, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Jack Compton has signed a contract to manage the Dayton Baseball Club for the Central League. He succeeds John Nee, who resigned recently to go into business. Compton, who is a pitcher, has been with the Dayton Club for five years.

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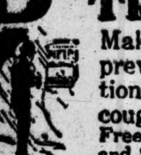

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YANKEES WANT JACKSON.

Ruppert and Huston Willing to Pay Big Price for "Slugger."

When the American League assembles here tomorrow, it is expected that an announcement will be made in relation to an important trade to be accomplished with a view of strengthening the Yankees. President Ban Johnson said yesterday that more than one big trade was in view, and he has strong hopes that some of them would go through in order to give the new owners of the club here a better team with which to start the season.

President Johnson refused to divulge the plans the local club's manager, Bill Donovan, had in mind, but it is known that Donovan has been recalled from the South in order to be here tomorrow to take part in the negotiations for new players.

When Manager Donovan visited Cleveland a few weeks ago to sign Roger Peckinpaugh, it is said he had a long conference with the Cleveland club officials in regard to a big trade whereby Outfielder Joe Jackson would come into the possession of the New York club. It is understood that the new owners are willing to pay a high price for the Cleveland star. Donovan wants a hitter of Jackson's calibre for his outfield, as his pitching staff is a good one, and his infield should come up to form this season.

A hard-hitting outfield would go a long way toward making the Yankees a very formidable club, and it is expected that a strong effort will be made to land Jackson. The Yankee officials yesterday refused to discuss what players they would try to land during the meeting tomorrow.

The American League, aside from adopting its schedule for the coming season, will also take action on limiting the number of players to be carried during the playing season. It is stated that the American League will reduce the limit to twenty players. The National League has decided on twenty-one players.

This season, the two major leagues have decided not to announce the players they are to turn loose until the time limit on May 1. This was decided upon so as to keep the players out of the clutches of the Federal League until the season is under way. There will be a larger number of young players turned back to the minors this season than ever before, and it is expected that the three Class AA leagues, the International League, the American Association, and the Pacific Coast League, will greatly benefit thereby. It is certain that they will take most of the promising talent.

President Joseph J. Lannin of the Boston Red Sox had a long conference with President Johnson yesterday about the coming meeting. Mr. Lannin took a prominent part with Mr. Johnson in swinging the deal whereby the Yankees were sold to their new owners. President Lannin said that a great many people were inclined to overestimate the Red Sox, and there has been too much talk about their bright pennant chances. Mr. Lannin said he knew his team was a strong one, but he did not want the club to become overconfident because he believed the American League race was going to be closer than ever this season.

Mr. Lannin predicted that the White Sox would bear watching. "I think Eddie Collins is a whole infield by himself," said the Boston owner, "and if Lord comes back to play third base, the White Sox, with its excellent pitching staff, is sure to be up in the race all the time. The Athletics are not to be overlooked, by any means, and you will see that Connie Mack will be a strong factor in the race. The Washington club promises to be better than ever, and I would not be at all surprised to see the Yankees, under Bill Donovan's leadership, cause a lot of trouble in the pennant race."

The new owners of the Yankees took possession of the club's offices in the Forty-second Street Building yesterday. Capt. Huston, William Fleischman, representative of President Ruppert, and Business Manager Harry Sparrow were in charge. Two new training camps were offered the club yesterday, one at Rocky Mount, N. C., and the other at Corpus Christi, Texas.

STILL HOPE FOR GAMES.

Berlin Has Not Abandoned 1916 Series—Slim Chance of Holding Olympics.

Notwithstanding the turbulent conditions existing in Europe, all hope of holding the next Olympic games at Berlin in 1916 has not been abandoned. This fact is contained in a letter to Secretary Norton Crow of the Canadian Olympic Association from Baron Pierre de Coubertin, Chairman of the International Olympic Committee, which was made public recently, and in which the French athletic authority stated that there was no contemplated change in connection with the programme to hold the next Olympic games in Berlin in 1916. A general meeting of the International Olympic Committee is scheduled to be held this year at Berne, Switzerland, under the patronage of the Swiss Government.

It has also been decided that the International Olympic Committee will take part in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition on the occasion of the modern pentathlon competition, which is sanctioned by the International Olympic Committee.

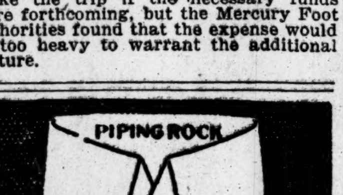
Word was also received that M. A. Ballif, a member of the International Olympic Committee for France, has resigned his position, and has been succeeded by the Marquis de Polignac, founder of the great college for athletics at Rheims. The City of Lyons, France, has made application for the eighth Olympic games, to be held in 1924, and in contemplation of the games being awarded that city extensive arrangements have been started for providing a magnificent Gallo-Roman stadium.

The statement concerning the Olympic games of 1916 is interpreted as meaning that there has been no official change in the plan to hold the next Olympic games in Berlin, though it is not believed possible to carry out that programme. It is expected that the meeting to be held in Switzerland some time this year will see some action taken either to place the games in some other country or to postpone them for a time at least.

C. A. A. TEAM WON'T COME.

Expense Too Heavy to Bring Chicagoans to New York A. C. Games.

Efforts on the part of the New York Athletic Club to bring East a team of Chicago A. A. athletes to compete in a special relay at their games in Madison Square Garden next week, now closed to New York and Boston, have proved unavailing. The Westerners desired to make the trip if the necessary funds were forthcoming, but the Mercury Foot authorities found that the expense would be too heavy to warrant the additional feature.



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MOTOR BOAT SALE RECORD AT GARDEN

Hermann Oelrichs Strolls Into the Show and Buys One in 9 Minutes 45 Seconds.

Hermann Oelrichs walked into the Motor Boat Show at Madison Square Garden yesterday afternoon as a refuge from the storm. Right at the entrance stood the exhibits of the Elco Company, which does something in the line of motor boat building. He was faced by one of the Elco express boats, thirty feet in length and guaranteed to make twenty-two miles an hour with its sixty-five horse power engine. Its razor-like prow, its sleek mahogany sheething, and its comfortable fittings rather pleased Mr. Oelrichs.

"What are you charging for boats like that this stormy afternoon?" he asked, nonchalantly.

The glib-tongued salesman told him it was not "bargain Monday" and that there were no red figure tags on motor boats even on stormy days. Then he stated the catalogue price. It must have been satisfactory to Mr. Oelrichs. "Got a duplicate of her at the factory?" he asked.

They had. "All right. Ship it to me to Florida at once." Just like that. The easiest thing one ever saw. But it rather took the breath from the glib young salesman. It was pretty close to the record, if not a new one, in motor boat selling. Time, 9 minutes 45 seconds.

There was no other record of impetuous buyers yesterday. But dealers said after the day's sessions that money should be quoted as "easy," for they did a comfortable amount of selling, and most of the boat builders and engine manufacturers found "prospects" who promise business far in excess of anything they had anticipated as a result of the show. There stood the veteran boat builder from Massachusetts, George S. Lawley—he who is second of the four generations in the Lawley corporation—who said:

"We do not know hard times in our yards, for we are running double shifts of men in some of our departments, and the orders on our books are more numerous than they have been in two years.

Women there were in numbers, and many of them were imbued with one desire. That was a new one; shopping boats. "Isn't that a dear?" asked one of these who has an island home in the Thimbles, just off the Connecticut shore, speaking to her husband. "Just the thing to use when I wish to go ashore for shopping or to take a run around the islands and make calls. We must have one."

"Very convenient you will find them," said an acquaintance who was on a similar expedition. "We had one at our place in the Thousand Islands, and as we lost it last Fall when our boathouse was burned, I am here to order another. I simply could not keep up my visiting list or do my shopping without it. They are so inexpensive, too, and the upkeep is but a trifle." And then the women entered into an animated discussion as to the comparative merits of motors and carburetors and other accessories with as much zest as the process of deciding on trimmings for a new gown. As there were motors and engines that would develop anything from 2 horse power up to 300 horse power right on the floor in tempting array, a selection from among them was as fascinating to the engine shopper as a hunt for just the right thing on the day of the opening of a millinery display in Spring.

Allison V. Armour, Jordan L. Mott, Ernest E. Lorillard, Frederick Doremus, Charles Somerville, Truxton Beale, Commodore Leonard Richards, S. C. Cochrane, owner of the Bermuda race winner Kronol; William Duncan, who also had a boat in that race; C. A. Criqui of Buffalo, C. C. O'Shea of Montreal, an enthusiastic yachtsman; Thomas B. Taylor, who owns the speedy Flyaway III.; C. C. Andrade, Commodore F. K. Light of the South Shore Power Boat Club, C. G. Doris, S. C. Singer, and Harry Bird were among those who inspected the show during the afternoon and found much to satisfy their nautical tastes.

A new arrival since the opening on Saturday is the bulky but still graceful Enchantress, a Philadelphia built boat, 46 feet in length and 9 in beam, handsomely fitted, and stopping temporarily in this city on her way to the Middle West. After being exhibited at the Chicago show she is to be launched in the waters of Lake Michigan. Driven by a 150 horse power engine this craft will there get through and over the water at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour, for she did it last year off the Jersey coast.

To Revive Hare and Hound Chases.

The picturesque hare and hound method of cross-country running will be revived here this Spring, if plans now being formed by George Mathews of the Metropolitan Registration Committee and Long Island A. C. go through. About a month ago Mathews was engaged in looking up some old history for Frederick W. Rubien, President of the Metropolitan Association, and he ran across an interesting account of one of the big hare and hound chases contested on the old Morris Park cross-country course almost a quarter of a century ago. It struck him at that time that it would prove a novel event if he could stage a paper chase now, and he consulted some of his conferees in the Long Island A. C. regarding the matter. They favored the plan, and now Mathews is consulting the leading hill and dale chasers on their opinion of it. Hare and hound chases for athletes went out of favor between fifteen and twenty years ago. Previous to that they were the most popular sport in the field of athletics. Races of fifteen miles across country that were ideal for such sport were frequent in those days. It is Mathews's idea to stage a handicap race of about ten miles, which he believes is long enough to test the stamina of any athlete.

The most enjoyable and invigorating branch of cross-country running is the old-fashioned paper chase, introduced first in England about 1867. If a paper chase is to be successful the details must be carefully arranged. Two "hares" are chosen, preferably of equal calibre, possessing a knowledge of the surrounding country. They should, before starting, have a thorough knowledge of the course they are to steer. Each "hare" carries a bag of paper with which to lay the "scent." The headway allowed the "hares" is usually ten minutes.

Tutweiler Signs with Red Sox.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—The signed contract of Fred Tutweiler, an outfielder, sold by the Providence Internationals to the Boston Americans, was received at the Red Sox headquarters today.

KIVIAT WINS "880" RACE.

Irish-American Flier Has Little Opposition in Jersey City Event.

Abel R. Kiviat, Irish-American A. C. national mile champion, registered an easy victory in the half-mile run which featured a set of games held in the People's Palace, Jersey City, last night. There was little or no opposition for Kiviat, and he loafed for the major portion of the race. It was only on the last five laps of the twenty-lap track that the Irish club representative showed anything like his real speed, and when he started his spurt he ran away from J. Flaherty of the New York A. C. J. E. Ball, Jr., unattached, was third.

After finishing third in the 880, Ball captured the 600-yard open handicap from scratch. C. Callahan, an unattached athlete, proved best in the two-mile run, which completed the open contests.

There were a number of exhibitions closed to athletes of the People's Palace, which resulted in good competition. A large crowd attended the sports. Summary:

880-Yard Run, Scratch, (Open..—Won by Abel R. Kiviat, Irish-American A. C.; J. Flaherty, New York A. C., second; J. E. Ball, Jr., unattached, third. Time—2:04.

600-Yard Run, Handicap, (Open.)—Won by J. E. Ball, Jr., unattached, (scratch;) J. Rutgers, People's Palace, (10 yards,) second; W. Kotch, People's Palace, (40 yards,) third. Time—1:20.

Two-Mile Run, Handicap, (Open.)—Won by C. Callahan, unattached, (3 laps;) J. Deakyne, People's Palace, (3 laps,) second; J. Flaherty, New York A. C., (scratch,) third. Time—9:51.

20-Yard Dash, Junior, (Closed to People's Palace.)—Won by C. O'Neil; W. Brown, second; J. Hill, third. Time—0:03 2-5.

20-Yard Dash, Senior, (Closed to People's Palace.)—Won by J. Rutgers; W. White, second; H. Buckham, third. Time—0:03 1-5.

Four-Lap Relay, Junior.—Won by Blues, (H. O'Neil, Hill, Ackerson, and W. Taylor;) Whites, (Kotch, H. Taylor, Young, and Weisenberg,) second. Time—1:46 3-5.

Putting 12-Pound Shot, Closed to People's Palace.—Won by J. McCloskey, (1 foot 6 inches,) with 39 feet 6 inches; H. Brown, (6 inches,) second, with 39 feet 1 inch; J. Rolnick, (scratch,) third, with 37 feet 5½ inches.

Running High Jump, Handicap, Closed to People's Palace.—Won by J. Buckham, (scratch,) with 5 feet 4 inches; W. Kotch, (5 inches,) second, with 4 feet 11 inches; H. Buckham, (2 inches,) third, with 5 feet.

Senior Medley Relay.—Won by Whites, (Hopper, Rutgers, and Kotch;) Reds, (Callahan, Buckham, and Brown,) second. Time—2:15.

IS PRIZE WINNER A NOVICE?

High Schools Games Committee to Decide Question Soon.

"Has a high school student who has won a medal in a cross-country run the right to compete in a novice event?" This question is occupying the attention of the cross-country and track and field committees of the High Schools Games Committee, and a ruling on the question is expected at the next meeting of that body. The question was brought up in the case of Galvany of Commercial High School, who won a cross-country medal and later competed in a novice event.

An important ruling has been made by the committee in the event of a team dropping out of any kind of an athletic tournament. Several such cases have arisen, and have been the cause of much discussion, and the committee has now decided that in all such cases in the future whenever a team drops out of a tournament all games played or unplayed will be canceled without result.

Another ruling which has been made by the committee is in regard to the eligibility of students from the standpoint of grading in their studies. The new ruling on this question follows: "When at any marking date no mark in any subject on a boy's programme is entered, then the last mark entered in that subject is to count toward eligibility."

N. Y. A. C. Fencers Beat Cadets.

In the competition for the senior sabres team championship at the New York Athletic Club last night the West Point officers were defeated by the New York Athletic Club in the final by a score of 5 to 4. Summary:

West Point vs. Fencers' Club.—O. A. Dickinson, West Point, defeated S. Pitt, Fencers' Club, and A. Lyon, Fencers' Club, and lost to E. B. H. Myers, Fencers' Club.

D. Pullen, West Point, defeated S. Pitt, Fencers' Club, and E. B. H. Myers, Fencers' Club, and lost to A. Lyon, Fencers' Club.

O. N. Sohlberg, West Point, defeated A. Lyon, Fencers' Club, and lost to S. Pitt, Fencers' Club, and E. B. H. Myers, Fencers' Club.

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A. Lyon, Fencers' Club, defeated D. Pullen, West Point, and lost to O. A. Dickinson, West Point, and O. N. Sohlberg, West Point.

West Point won, 5 to 4.

New York A. C. vs. New York Turn Verein.—S. Hall, New York A. C., defeated A. Strauss, New York Turn Verein; G. Reimherr, Jr., New York Turn Verein, and John Allaire, New York Turn Verein.

V. P. Centi, New York A. C., defeated G. Reimherr, Jr., New York Turn Verein, and lost to A. Strauss, New York Turn Verein.

A. G. Anderson, New York A. C., defeated John Allaire, New York Turn Verein, and lost to G. Reimherr, Jr., New York Turn Verein, and A. Strauss, New York Turn Verein.

G. Reimherr, Jr., New York Turn Verein, defeated A. G. Anderson, New York A. C., and lost to S. Hall, New York A. C., and V. P. Centi, New York A. C.

A. Strauss, New York Turn Verein, defeated V. P. Centi, New York A. C., and A. G. Anderson, New York A. C., and lost to S. Hall, New York A. C.

John Allaire, New York Turn Verein, lost to S. Hall, New York A. C., and A. G. Anderson New York A. C.

New York A. C. won 5 to 3.

Miyake Makes Bingham Quit.

Tarro Miyake, the Japanese jiu-jitsu expert, who claims the world's championship in this branch of sport, had no difficulty winning his match with Will Bingham, the New York A. C. wrestling instructor, at Brown's Gymnasium last night. After being mauled about by his heavier opponent for 16 minutes and 24 seconds, Bingham was compelled to admit that he had been defeated. He had to be nearly forced into unconsciousness before he admitted that the Japanese was his master. Weight, superior knowledge of the sport, and, in fact, every advantage lay with Miyake, who outweighed Bingham by twenty pounds, the weights being announced as 170 and 150, with Bingham on the light end. Bingham was on his back and exhausted when he yelled "quits." When thrown the last time by Miyake the local man's head struck the floor very heavily, and he stretched on the canvas apparently knocked out. It was fully fifteen seconds before he recovered.

The referee allowed him ten minutes to recover, but when Bingham reached his dressing room he was advised by friends not to continue because of possible serious injury.

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COURT UPHOLDS BOXING COMMISSION

Discretionary Right in Manhattan A. C. Mandamus Suit Sustained by Justice Cohalan.

The application of the Manhattan Athletic Club to compel the State Athletic Commission to issue a license for holding boxing exhibitions at Manhattan Casino was denied yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Cohalan. The application was based on the refusal of the commission to issue the license owing to the alleged connection of the McMahon Brothers with the new club and other irregularities in connection with the proposed headquarters of the club.

Justice Cohalan cited the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Bob Fitzsimmons in his attempt to force the commission to permit him to box in this State, and said that as discretionary power was vested in the commission by the Legislature of the State, that power should not be overridden or set aside by the courts unless there be good reason to believe that it had been exercised arbitrarily and unjustly, without probably just reason in the case of the Manhattan Athletic Club. He held such reason did not present itself.

BOXERS' BAN ON SMOKING.

Garden Spectators Must Not "Puff" During Main Bout.

Matchmaker Jimmy Johnston will establish a new rule at the Garden beginning with the Welsh-Shugrue match Feb. 9, when he will ask the spectators to refrain from smoking while the main bout is in progress. In recent bouts smoke has become so dense that is impaired the work of the fighters and dimmed the view of those in the gallery and balcony. Complaints have been made by several of the star performers, including Champion Welsh, and Johnston will ask the spectators to cease smoking before the main event gets under way.

Johnston closed an important match yesterday when he signed Johnny Drummie, Shugrue's sparring partner, and Kid Black of the west side, who helped Freddie Welsh train for all his New York engagements. These two featherweights are among the most formidable contenders for Johnny Kilbane's crown, and are known around the smaller clubs of the East as boxers of class. In his last engagement Black conceded eight pounds to Walter Hennessey at the Fairmount Club, and after an uphill battle was awarded the popular verdict. Black returned from Europe a month ago with his manager, George Munroe, after a successful campaign.

Weight Wins for These Boxers.

An advantage of nearly ten pounds in weight helped materially in gaining for Johnny Martin of this city the honors over Fred Daw of the west side in their ten-round bout last night at the Olympic Athletic Club in Harlem. Mike Mazie, the Staten Island boxer, was originally scheduled to oppose Martin, but on account of the death of his father, Mazie was unable to appear, and the management substituted Daw. The latter was easily outclassed, and in the fourth round was sent to the floor by Martin for the count of nine.

In the semi-final bout Willie Doyle of the Bronx outpointed "Knockout" Eggers, a west side boxer, after ten keenly contested rounds. Doyle had an advantage of nine pounds over the west sider.

Kid Williams at Broadway S. C.

Kid Williams of Baltimore, world's bantamweight champion, will risk his title at the Broadway Sporting Club of Brooklyn tonight in a ten-round bout with Eddie Wallace, Brooklyn's Ghetto featherweight contender for the championship. Wallace will enter the ring at 122 pounds, ringside, the weight at which Williams is willing to meet Johnny Kilbane. Both boys have trained faithfully and are fit and anxiously awaiting the tap of the gong. Jem Mace of Elmhurst and Al Kale of Brooklyn will meet in the other ten-round session.

"Broadway" Bouts Stopped.

Joe McCarthy of Montana received such a battering from Joe Woods of Brooklyn at the boxing matinee of the Broadway Sporting Club yesterday afternoon that the referee stopped the bout in the eighth round. The largest attendance of women since the "Ladies' Boxing Matinee" started at the club was on hand yesterday, as nearly a dozen of the fair sex occupied seats at the ringside. Three of the bouts were stopped by the referee, two ring aspirants quit in their bouts, and in one case the boxing of both contestants was so bad that they were both chased to the dressing room.

Kilbane Outpoints Young Kansas.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, featherweight champion, outboxed Young Kansas of Buffalo in the last three rounds of a ten-round bout here tonight. Kansas held the champion even for seven rounds, but was outclassed in the closing rounds. Neither fighter suffered much punishment. Kilbane weighed 123, Kansas 128¾.

Griffiths Outpoints Welsh.

AKRON, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Johnny Griffiths, local lightweight, outpointed Freddie Welsh, the champion, in a twelve-round bout here tonight, according to the majority of the newspapermen who saw the fight. No official decision was given.

Sanger Joins New York A. C.

H. B. Sanger, who has been competing unattached for some time, yesterday applied to the Amateur Athletic Union to have his registration changed to the New York Athletic Club. As a member of the Twenty-third Regiment, Brooklyn, Sanger gave several meritorious exhibitions as a sprinter, and he is considered a valuable addition to Bernie Wefers's squad. The New York coach believes Sanger has the makings of a first-class quarter miler, and will keep him running that distance for the remainder of the season. At one time the Brooklyn boy was a junion member of the N. Y. A. C.

Goldberg Wins at Pool.

Rube Goldberg defeated Sid Greene in the newspapermen's pocket billiard tournament at Doyle's Forty-second Street Academy yesterday by a score of 85 to 75. The winner played from the fifty mark, while Greene received forty.

GUNBOAT SMITH WINS.

Jim Flynn Outpointed and Pounded Hard in Cincinnati Bout.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Gunboat Smith won a newspaper decision here tonight over Jim Flynn in a ten-round boxing contest. There was never a time that Smith did not have a shade the better of the bout on points, but the stamina displayed by Flynn won the admiration of the spectators. Flynn could be called the aggressor inasmuch as he used boring-in tactics throughout, and while he received four blows in return for every one he delivered, he was in good condition when the contest ended.

All the rounds were practically identical, with Flynn boring in wherever he had a chance and Smith doing damage with a left jab and a right cross to the jaw whenever any open work was possible. In the clinches Flynn showed at his best, but even in this style he was no match for Smith, who worked a terrific uppercut to good advantage and sent Flynn's head back in the first, fourth, seventh and ninth rounds.

In the open work Flynn hardly struck a blow. Smith's long reach enabling him to send in jab after jab to the face without a return. In the opening round Smith brought the spectators to their feet with a clean right flush on Flynn's jaw. Flynn staggered for a moment and clinched, but thereafter showed no ill-effects of the blow, despite the fact that he took terrific punishment on numerous occasions.

TO POLISH FOOTBALL RULES

Rough Edges Only to be Taken Off Code at Committee Meeting Here.

For the first time in several seasons there will be no important change in the football rules when the committee meets at the Hotel Biltmore on Friday and Saturday of this week. There may be some minor changes toward a better codification of the rules, but there will be no radical amendments of any kind. The game, as it was played last season, was entirely satisfactory and the rulemakers see little chance for improvement.

One of the principal abuses on the gridiron last year was the frequent use of substitutes to carry messages from the coaches to the Captain on the field. This practice was in direct violation of the spirit of the game, and to avoid the prominence of the coaches the rulemakers banished them from the side lines last season. To get around this barrier coaches have used substitutes to carry their messages. A more drastic rule in regard to this matter may be passed.

Parke H. Davis, the Princeton member of the committee, will make an effort to popularize the numbering of players among the committeemen, but it is doubtful if Yale or Harvard will consent to the numbering system. The majority of football coaches favor it, and everywhere it has been tried the results have been entirely satisfactory. The numbering of players is sure to be adopted before many seasons, and several of the best-known men in the game favor the adoption of the practice as soon as possible.

Another question which will be discussed at the meeting is the safety. Last season in the Yale-Harvard game at New Haven Mahan recovered the ball after sending it over his own goal line and yet the officials decided that the play was not a safety. A spirited discussion resulted and Yale's Captain, Talbot, demanded that Referee Tufts change his decision on the play and award a safety and two points to Yale. The Harvard acting Captain, Trumbull, strenuously objected to the referee making and change in his decision and the ruling stood. The question as to whether this play was a safety will be thoroughly gone over at the meeting.

The members of the committee are as follows: E. K. Hall, Dartmouth, Chairman; Walter Camp, Yale, Secretary; Dr. J. A. Babbitt, Haverford; Dr. Carl Williams, Pennsylvania; Percy Haughton, Harvard; Paul Dashiell, Annapolis; Harris G. Cope, Sewanee; Parke H. Davis, Princeton; Lieut. D. I. Sultan, West Point; C. W. Savage, Oberlin; S. C. Williams, Iowa; A. A. Stagg, Chicago; Dr. H. L. Williams, Minnesota; Capt. J. W. Beacham, Cornell.

RED BANK'S STOCK FARM.

Andrew Freedman Installs Prize Bull on His Monmouth County Place.

Andrew Freedman of this city, whose sporting activities have heretofore been principally confined to baseball and horse racing, though he has never figured so prominently in the latter game as he did in the national sport, has branched out in a new line. His new venture is the establishment of a model dairy farm on the estate at Red Bank, N. J., now known as Freedmanor Farms. Holstein cattle are his fad, and the herd is to be headed by the bull King Pontiac Al Catra V., son of the champion bull of the United States, King Pontiac. Wonderfully bred on both lines from registered and tested ancestors, the head of the herd cost Mr. Freedman $5,000, and the cattle sharps say he was cheap at the price. Royally bred as he is, the new sire for Mr. Freedman's herd goes to a farm already stocked with cows which have tested high in productivity both of milk and its essential for a first-class dairy herd, butter fat. It will add to Monmouth County, once the home of the right royal among thoroughbreds, a real agricultural star.

Mr. Freedman's farm was once known as "the Byram place," and as such won an enviable record as one of the finest farm properties about Red Bank, the home of many famous horses as well as of other thoroughbred stock and as productive a hundred acres as there was in the vicinity. Since it has come into the possession of this lover of sport and the country life, Mr. Freedman, according to current report among the farmers in that section, has expended approximately $50,000 in modernizing it with the intent of making it even more famous than it was in the old days of its high repute. The new bull and the dozen highly bred cows in his harem are housed in a new cattle barn costing about $15,000, which will house forty head, and is provided with an up-to-the-minute silo and the necessary out-buildings for a high-class dairy farm. In a county noted for its "show places," both residential and agricultural, Mr. Freedman's new home has already secured a place as one of the best of these.

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SKATE SAILORS GET DUCKING IN POND

W. W. Herrick, W. A. Belden, and Hunter Marston Break Through Ice at Stamford.

Special to The New York Times.

STAMFORD, Conn., Feb. 1.—Skate sailing, a new sport adopted by the members of the Stamford Yacht Club, nearly terminated in a tragedy here yesterday noon. Skate sailing over the surface of Cove Pond before the wind, Wilson W. Herrick and William A. Belden of Stamford and Hunter Marston of Port Chester, all members of the New York Stock Exchange, swept upon a section of thin ice and in a twinkling they had broken through and were struggling for their lives in icy water.

There had been a skate sail race for members of the one-design class of the Stamford Yacht Club. It had just been finished and the racers had broken up in groups and were skating for pleasure.

A number of women, wives of club members, were among the skate sailors. When the three men, all of them expert with the skate sail, broke through the ice, a cry of horror went up from their friends. Everybody hurried toward the spot. Fearful for the safety of the women, some of the skate sailors escorted them back out of danger, while Thomas Carter, Thomas Crouch, Gayer G. Dominick, Jack Williams, Commodore E. Y. Weber, and C. S. Palmer directed the rescue. A number of skate sails were demounted quickly. They were formed into a life line and, fastened with rope, were thrown out to the men, who by manipulating their own sails in the water, managed to keep their heads above water. One by one they were hauled out upon solid ice and taken to a house near by. Mr. Herrick, the last one to be saved, became unconscious when taken out of the water, and it required considerable treatment to revive him.

Scrub Team Wins Hockey Game.

A scrub hockey team composed of Princeton and Amateur Hockey League players, defeated the Cutler School seven in a keenly contested game yesterday afternoon at St. Nicholas Skating Rink, West Sixty-sixth Street, by the score of 6 goals to 4. The teams played for about a half hour without intermission, and throughout, the schoolboys gave a good account of themselves. It was only the experience of the members of the scrub team that enabled them to carry off the victory, for the Cutler School aggregation played a fast and aggressive game throughout, and forced their more experienced opponents to extend themselves at all times. Thompson, a St. Nicholas player, and Crovat of the Crescent Athletic Club hockey team each scored two goals for the scrubs, while Bull, the Cutler School cover point, sent the puck through the opposing net on two occasions. The line-up:

Cutler.	Position.	Scrubs.
Nathan	Goal	Cohu
Marsh	Point	Cowan
Bull	Cover point	Thompson
Dowling	Centre	Crovat
A. Fox	Rover	Stanley
Lawson	Left wing	Kilner
McPherson	Right wing	Fox

Goals—Bull, (2,) Dowling, McPherson, Thompson, (2,) Crovat, (2,) Kilner, Fox, (Scrubs.) Referee—Hobey Baker, St. Nicks. Time of game—Thirty minutes.

Bay Ridge H. S. Loses Carlson.

Bay Ridge High School has lost one of its best athletes through the decision of Helga Carlson to change from the Bay Ridge School to Poly Prep to complete his high school work. Carlson, who is an all-around athlete, has for the last three years been prominent at Bay Ridge because of his athletic activities. He was one of the school baseball team's best pitchers and has represented Bay Ridge on the gridiron in the three years of his school career. Not only in baseball and football has Carlson starred, but he has been a member of the swimming and hockey teams at the school.

Travis's Fine Golf at Palm Beach.

Special to The New York Times.

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 1.—Nearly the field of seventy golfers that competed in the Lake Worth golf tourney were Metropolitan players. Walter J. Travis of Garden City, with a fine card of 75, led a field of seventy starters and won the golf medal offered. Only one other player succeeded in getting under 80. This was Col. J. E. Smith of Wilmington, with a 79.

Sanction for Chicago Auto Race.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Sanction for a 500-mile automobile race on the Chicago Speedway on June 19 has been granted by the American Automobile Association, it was announced today. The new racing course is being constructed in Maywood, a suburb. Purses exceeding $50,000 will be offered.

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MORE CLAFLIN CHANGES.

A. A. Low Resigns—Old Company's Assets to be Transferred on Friday.

A. A. Low, who is a son-in-law of John Claflin and for nearly a year has been Secretary of the H. B. Claflin Company, severed his connection with the company yesterday. Mr. Low sent his resignation, to become effective on Feb. 1, to the receivers several days ago. Another change in the organization was the letting out of ten or twelve members of the general office force.

Announcement was made yesterday that John C. Wood had been elected Treasurer of the newly formed H. B. Claflin Corporation at a Directors' meeting held on Saturday. As reported, H. P. Bonties was elected President of the corporation on Wednesday last. Mr. Bonties said yesterday that the Secretary and the Assistant Treasurer of the corporation would not be chosen right away.

The assets of the H. B. Claflin Company, which were recently bought by B. W. Jones, representing the Mercantile Stores Corporation and the H. B. Claflin Corporation, were not turned over to him by the receivers yesterday, as was specified in the bid he made for these assets before Special Master Holt in the United States District Court. It was said yesterday that Mr. Jones had postponed the date of receipt of the assets to Feb. 5.

An order was issued yesterday by Judge Learned Hand in the United States District Court directing Receivers Martindale and Juilliard to pay all persons, whose claims have not yet been settled, the invoice value of the merchandise delivered by them to the H. B. Claflin Company on June 25. The order, however, allows Mr. Jones twenty-four hours in which to file written objections to such payments based on the waiver or abandonment of the claims. In case objection is made, the receivers are directed not to make the payments, without prejudice, however, to the rights of the claimants to assert their claims before the Special Master appointed to hear such claims.

On Saturday night the grouping of the merchandise holdings of the Claflin Company under a single roof was completed, this resulting in the company's giving up nine warehouses in this city and saving an annual rental approximating $35,000. Three other warehouses here were given up about Dec. 1. In order more quickly to record and tabulate the sales involving petty cash, the receivers have purchased cash registers. The arrangement of the general office of the company is being materially altered.

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- 90 shares Kimberley Company preferred.
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- 80 shares Douglas Farm Products Co. Pfd.
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- 144 shares Pueblo Development & Securities Co. Pfd.
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- 8 M. Bonds Jay C. Wimple Co., Nos. 28, 29, 34, due 1918.
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- 50 $500 Bonds Titusville Gas & Power Co.
- 21½ shares common stock Fla. Gardens, Inc.
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- Note of J. J. Welch & Co., Inc., dated Dec. 15, 1912, due Dec. 16, 1913.
- 30 M. Bonds of the Engineer Co., 7% Gold Bonds, 1st mtge., due 1916.
- 200 shares Pay As You Enter Car Corpn. common.
- 4 Bonds of the Lancaster & Northern Railroad Co.
- Note H. T. Duke, Feb. 7, 1912.
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- Note Jas. A. Morrow, M. D.
- 50 shares Pomeroy Ink Co.
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LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

English Woolens Raised to Correspond to New Values.

The customs officials at this port are beginning to take notice of the stiffening of prices in wool cloths in the English market with the result that clashes are occurring between the Government and importers as to the values to be used for dutiable purposes. Quite a number of these controversies, originating in Appraiser Sague's office, have been appealed to the reappraisement division of the Board of General Appraisers for settlement.

Two of these disputes were decided yesterday by Judge McClelland. In one case, wool cloth described as moss mantling manufactured by John Lockwood & Sons, Milnsbridge, England, was invoiced at 2 shillings 7½ pence per yard, and advanced by the local Appraiser to 2 shillings 10½ pence per yard. Somewhat similar goods were entered at 2 shillings 5 pence, and raised to 2 shillings 8 pence per yard, while another lot invoiced at 2 shillings 7½ pence were passed by the Appraiser as worth 2 shillings 10½ pence per yard. Joshua Ellis & Co., Leeds, entered fancy woolens as having a home market value of 2 shillings 9 pence per yard, whereas the Appraiser exacted duty on the basis of 3 shillings a yard. These goods, it is stated, are 85 per cent. wool and 15 per cent. cotton. Judge McClelland affirmed all of the advances made by the appraising officials.

FOODSTUFFS GOING OUT.

Especially Large Purchases of Wheat Were Made by Italy.

Italian purchases of American wheat shipped out of this port in the period Dec. 21 to Dec. 31 last, inclusive, made public yesterday by Chief Statistician Lant, surpassed similar exports to any other country, and were the heaviest in any like period since buying on account of the European war became a factor. Italy's shipments aggregated 1,365,299 bushels, against 320,359 bushels sent to the Netherlands, the next biggest purchaser.

England was third on the list in wheat purchases, totaling 267,686 bushels. Greece followed with 192,002 bushels, and Norway, the only Scandinavian country mentioned in the report, took 35,000 bushels. Panama stands at the bottom of the list with two bushels. The Netherlands and France led in wheat flour exports, the former country taking 143,867 bags, and the latter 51,583 bags.

Barley for England totaled 39,728 bushels, and for Denmark 35,159 bushels. South America took 20,939 bushels of the same commodity. Fresh beef for the French Army amounted to 26,430 quarters. France also purchased for her military establishment 4,051 horses, Italy 941, and England 20. Wheat flour for the British Army in Egypt totaled 4,330 bags. The value of these exports is not given in the official report.

APPLIED TO A NEW USE.

Martingale Rings Now Employed for Infants Teething.

The attempt of the Treasury Department to change the classification under the tariff law of martingale rings used for saddlery purposes brought out representatives of the trade yesterday at a hearing held before Judges McClelland, Sullivan and Brown of the Board of General Appraisers.

At yesterday's hearing, Henry J. Webster and Edward F. Jordan, appearing for the British Xylonite Company, with offices in this city and England, insisted that no adequate reason exists for upsetting the classification long prevailing, and put witnesses on the stand to prove that the rings in controversy are commercially known and used as parts of saddlery. Among the witnesses substantiating this contention were: W. H. Davis, representative of the British Xylonite Company, the concern figuring in the test case; William Menger of the Smith Worthington Company, and Mr. Dreher of E. A. Whitehouse & Co. Attorney Lawrence of the Department of Justice had three witnesses to support the Government, John J. Fraser, Secretary of Tuttle & Clarke; Will A. Monroe, Manager of George Worthington & Co., and William R. Wright. One of these witnesses testified that martingale rings have been largely replaced by metal rings in racing stables, while the others admitted that the celluloid rings are used to some extent for teething. The board took the papers in the case and reserved decision.

TELL OF TRADE SWINDLE.

Three Defendants Assist State in Great Western Jobbing Trial.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 1.—Pleas of guilty entered in the Federal District Court here today by three defendants in the so-called "great Western Jobbing trial" were withdrawn later in the day in order that the three men might testify as Government witnesses. It was announced that they would re-enter pleas of guilty after the trial.

The three men who entered and then withdrew pleas of guilty were Charles L. Greenfield, Julius Steinhardt, and Meyer Rotman.

Greenfield, who lives in Philadelphia, told of the workings of the syndicate, which, it is alleged, operated a chain of stores in different cities and defrauded creditors by reshipping goods consigned to one store to another establishment, thereby avoiding payment.

Greenfield said that in Carlisle, Penn., he went into the dry goods business with Sam Brown and Meyer Rotman. From a secret hiding place in Philadelphia, he testified, large quantities of goods were shipped to Carlisle. Later he came to this city and with Adolph Moskowitz established a store which received large shipments from the Carlisle store, which was about to go into bankruptcy. He said the goods shipped from Carlisle never were paid for there.

N. Y. CENTRAL MERGER HOLDS

Justice Keogh Decides Against Continental Securities Co.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Supreme Court Justice Keogh today decided that the merger of the Lake Shore Railroad into the Central system is not a violation of law so far as it pertains to the issuance by the Central of $90,000,000 of Lake Shore bonds at 4 per cent. instead of at 3½ per cent. The Continental Securities Company sought to restrain the issuance of the bonds on the new basis and had obtained a temporary injunction as a stockholder. Justice Keogh says:

"It would be an interesting task to review the conditions and practices which brought about the passage of those laws and the mischief it was their purpose to prevent; but, while holding a special term, I considered it my whole duty to decide each material question of law and facts presented by the pleadings and proofs. The only question for decision was whether the issue of the 4 per cent. bonds given to the consenting bondholders to pay off their 3½ per cent. constituted a violation of Section 141 of the Railroad Laws or Section 53 of the Public Service Commission law. I do not find that such would be a violation of law."

WAR HURTS NAVIGATION CO.

International Postpones Paying Interest on $17,882,000 Bonds.

The semi-annual interest on the $17,882,000 first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds of the International Navigation Company, a subsidiary of the International Mercantile Marine Company, was not paid yesterday when due. The postponement had been expected, as a result of the war's effect on steamship earnings, and a committee is at work looking after the interest of bondholders. The company has six months in which to pay the interest before a complete default occurs.

The same committee has called for deposits of the 4½ per cent. collateral trust bonds of the International Mercantile Marine Company. About $13,000,000 of the $52,700,000 bonds outstanding have been deposited. Practically half the bonds are held abroad.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL SUIT.

Group of Stockholders Asks for Receiver—Fight on N. Y. Central.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 1.—A group of Michigan Central Railroad stockholders filed a petition in the United States District Court here today for the appointment of a receiver for the Michigan Central Lines. It was alleged that business was being diverted from the Michigan Central by the New York Central for the benefit of other roads controlled by the New York Central. The petitioners also ask that an injunction be granted restraining the New York Central's use of voting power in Michigan Central affairs.

In the bill of complaint, it is charged that the Hudson River Railroad Company and the New York Central obtained control of the stock of the Michigan Central road and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway illegally, also that the old New York Central improperly used the credit of the Michigan Central to the extent of $84,000,000 to buy equipment for the benefit of the Michigan Central's competitors.

RAILROAD EARNINGS

The railroads reporting so far for the third week of January show these aggregated changes in gross earnings, those showing gains and those showing losses being stated separately:

Eight roads	$1,372,195	+ $74,796
Nineteen roads	8,397,824	—1,362,504
Total (27 roads)	9,770,019	—1,287,708

ATLANTIC COAST LINE for December—

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Gross	$3,073,852	$3,630,478	$3,512,374
Net aft tax	997,461	1,816,545	1,304,825
6 mos. gross	15,007,498	17,453,837	16,978,452
Net aft tax	2,432,974	4,122,171	4,291,694

BOSTON & MAINE for December—

	1914.	1913.	Decrease.
Gross	3,588,975	3,946,954	357,979
Net	727,716	618,562	*109,154
6 mos. gross	24,603,693	25,839,874	1,236,181
Net	5,677,176	5,747,003	69,827

*Increase.

CHICAGO CITY & CONNECTING RAILWAY'S collateral trust reports for the year ended Dec. 31, follows:

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Gross inc	2,052,026	2,301,825	2,437,250
Tot. disburs	1,161,114	1,158,645	1,151,207
Net inc	$890,912	$1,143,180	$1,286,243

CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS & LOUISVILLE for December—

Gross	474,032	558,599	592,912
Net	90,085	138,259	174,201
6 mos. gross	3,407,416	3,684,394	3,666,189
Net	876,479	1,064,951	1,170,782

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL for December—

Gross	7,282,244	7,799,246	8,313,293
Net aft tax	1,826,485	2,641,483	2,583,808
6 mos. gross	48,790,069	50,373,955	50,502,758
Net aft tax	13,906,798	15,106,049	17,490,224

The consolidated income account on the St. Paul system, including Tacoma Eastern, Gila Valley, Bellingham & Northern, and W. S. S. & Y. P. R. R., for December and six months, follows:

	December.	Six Mos.
Gross	$7,368,982	$49,526,734
Net aft taxes	1,823,361	14,025,841
Interest	1,185,136	7,108,931
Balance	638,225	6,916,910

DULUTH, SOUTH SHORE & ATLANTIC for December—

	1914.	1913.
Gross	$199,540	$257,470
Net	24,349	47,662
Deficit after charges	48,751	56,178
Six months' gross	1,501,752	1,881,037
Net	284,025	391,336
Deficit after charges	248,552	224,446

HOCKING VALLEY for December—

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Mileage	351	352	352
Gross	$414,792	$574,411	$604,024
Net	75,476	157,504	204,561
Sur. aft. chgs.	5,404	51,134	162,243
6 mos. gross	3,539,651	4,282,599	4,180,894
Net	1,162,516	1,532,981	1,621,589
Sur. aft. chgs.	505,222	877,284	1,161,555

MINERAL RANGE for December—

Gross	58,655	27,175	71,305
Net	15,877	2,284	20,684
Sur. aft. chgs.	7,868	†10,703	10,696
6 mos. gross	396,816	172,621	429,499
Net	113,956	†16,883	93,020
Sur. aft. chgs.	43,556	†87,165	23,296

†Deficit.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY for December:

Mileage	4,520	4,443	4,024
Freight rev.	9,852,341	11,879,909	10,970,055
Pass. revenue	3,092,817	3,330,518	2,972,315
Tot. oper. rev.	14,366,256	16,678,573	14,993,391
Maint. of way	2,121,744	2,207,983	2,019,064
Maint. equip.	3,223,264	3,394,182	3,409,161
Transp. exp.	5,995,438	6,761,011	5,665,818
Tot. oper. exp.	12,196,429	13,262,655	11,692,009
Taxes	596,314	632,298	750,129
Oper. income	1,571,748	2,778,620	2,413,609
Twelve months:			
Freight rev.	131,158,929	147,344,394	127,578,202
Passgr. rev.	38,977,848	40,599,628	35,405,555
Tot. op. rev.	187,298,752	205,148,244	174,607,598
Mt. of way	25,010,428	26,317,360	21,102,640
Mt. equip.	37,115,275	42,967,975	36,088,367
Transp. exp.	72,198,777	78,212,318	62,895,553
Tot. op. exp.	144,339,144	158,065,549	126,637,945
Taxes	7,689,523	7,840,853	7,128,535
Oper. inc.	35,258,772	39,241,840	39,693,133

PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY for December:

Mileage	1,757	1,751	1,751
Freight rev.	2,349,990	3,203,694	3,988,069
Passenger rev.	780,921	856,946	834,648
Tot. oper. rev.	3,551,308	4,668,661	5,300,812
Maint. of way	554,138	697,449	820,266
Maint. equip.	768,572	886,964	1,188,846
Transp. exp.	1,581,428	1,927,940	1,976,069
Tot. oper. exp.	3,138,274	3,804,875	4,119,066
Taxes	244,529	385,249	284,925
Oper. income	168,242	478,537	892,263
Twelve months:			
Freight rev.	39,151,550	49,557,921	47,526,730
Passenger rev.	9,799,877	10,137,110	9,545,608
Tot. oper. rev.	54,898,670	66,076,740	62,950,425
Maint. of way	7,808,155	10,613,190	9,440,847
Maint. equip.	10,217,897	12,569,663	11,161,331
Transp. exp.	20,616,216	24,874,403	21,906,259
Tot. oper. exp.	41,846,962	51,406,005	44,643,411
Taxes	3,208,302	3,123,160	2,738,020
Oper. income	9,842,776	12,147,576	15,536,788

PENNSYLVANIA SYSTEM for December—

Lines east:			
Gross	18,159,632	20,795,140	20,684,724
Net aft. tax.	1,980,252	3,385,154	3,266,103
Gross, 12 m.	241,504,700	261,545,260	247,825,106
Net aft. tax.	46,194,285	50,081,320	53,137,750
Lines west:			
Gross	7,832,097	9,605,582	10,824,951
Net aft. tax.	820,309	1,186,513	1,993,366
Gross, 12 m.	111,733,895	129,516,798	125,000,370
Net aft. tax.	19,954,684	21,293,750	29,316,405
Total all lines:			
Gross	25,991,729	30,400,722	31,500,674
Net aft. tax.	2,800,561	4,571,667	5,259,468
Gross, 12 m.	353,238,595	391,062,158	372,825,476
Net aft. tax.	66,148,969	71,375,071	82,454,157

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS for December—

Mileage	3,865	3,817	3,817
Gross	2,931,064	2,661,401	2,971,492
Net aft. tax.	874,168	369,029	894,205
6 mos. gross	17,202,212	17,480,572	17,624,286
Net aft. tax.	4,866,566	4,151,911	5,613,929

MISSOURI PACIFIC for December—

	1914.	1913.	Increase.
Gross	4,740,650	5,098,510	*357,859
Net aft. tax.	833,588	1,172,322	*338,733
Other income	113,878	99,711	14,166
Total income	947,466	1,272,033	*324,566
Six months:			
Gross	31,228,166	32,115,980	*887,814
Net aft. tax.	7,818,461	7,766,753	51,707
Other income	517,847	506,676	11,171
Total income	8,336,308	8,273,429	62,878

*Decrease.

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS for December—

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Mileage	1,231	1,231	1,231
Gross	844,405	1,127,695	1,107,618
Net aft. taxes	84,268	209,581	216,898
6 mos. gross	5,664,900	6,524,041	6,630,519
Net aft. taxes	814,488	1,233,953	1,385,503

NEW YORK CENTRAL, its controlled and affiliated lines for December—New York Central & Hudson River, (excluding Boston & Albany.)

	1914.	1913.	Decrease.
Gross	7,612,567	8,202,878	590,311
Net aft. taxes	1,485,003	1,575,424	90,421
12 mos. gross	95,559,818	104,095,524	8,535,706
Net aft. taxes	18,928,785	18,897,108	*31,676
Boston & Albany.			
Gross	1,284,979	1,393,355	108,376
Net aft. taxes	211,871	269,870	57,998
12 mos. gross	16,491,442	17,719,564	1,228,122
Net aft. taxes	3,431,018	3,757,209	326,191

*Increase.

Michigan Central.

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Gross	2,656,591	3,059,258	3,050,834
Net aft. taxes	522,346	610,903	783,510
12 mos. gross	33,464,968	36,676,970	32,911,753
Net aft. taxes	6,081,796	7,281,058	8,564,111
New York, Chicago & St. Louis.			
Gross	960,113	1,065,367	1,085,032
Net aft. taxes	213,536	238,149	354,206
12 mos. gross	11,294,971	12,393,872	12,226,237
Net aft. taxes	1,496,036	2,215,245	3,114,138
Lake Shore & Michigan Southern.			
Gross	4,046,920	4,550,220	5,019,375
Net aft. taxes	941,882	*93,418	1,531,316
12 mos. gross	51,524,280	59,353,109	54,283,616
Net aft. taxes	11,406,062	13,475,501	17,093,279

*Deficit.

Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis, including Peoria & Eastern.

	1914.	1913.	Decrease.
Gross	2,901,172	3,116,553	215,381
Net aft. taxes	628,946	463,133	*165,814
12 mos. gross	35,365,691	37,613,498	2,247,808
Net aft. taxes	4,874,086	3,393,261	*1,480,825

*Increase.

Chicago, Indiana & Southern.

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Gross	332,267	449,760	394,958
Deficit aft. tax.	30,395	*39,532	*84,611
12 mos. gross	4,205,196	4,487,658	4,235,819
Net aft. taxes	454,105	515,047	710,707

*Surplus.

Pittsburgh & Lake Erie.

Gross	934,761	1,180,370	1,576,936
Net aft. taxes	124,159	278,787	786,962
12 mos. gross	15,597,365	19,644,111	18,162,118
Net aft. taxes	4,614,440	8,098,310	8,627,085
Cincinnati Northern.			
Gross	114,736	137,729	139,080
Net aft. taxes	23,169	21,625	36,560
12 mos. gross	1,471,472	1,436,709	1,418,645
Net aft. taxes	184,945	*50,297	161,071

*Deficit.

Lake Erie & Western.

Gross	396,047	461,555	530,439
Net aft. taxes	11,339	28,439	91,664
12 mos. gross	5,602,771	5,934,643	5,889,630
Net aft. taxes	867,402	825,384	1,141,397
Toledo & Ohio Central.			
Gross	362,385	505,705	441,662
Net aft. taxes	17,027	41,812	78,204
12 mos. gross	4,930,626	6,031,429	5,363,018
Net aft. taxes	635,695	1,071,084	1,215,840

ST. LOUIS, ROCKY MOUNTAIN & PACIFIC for December—

	1914.	1913.	Increase.
Gross	263,439	247,205	16,234
Net aft. taxes	95,684	111,686	*16,002
Sur. aft. chgs.	54,995	37,577	17,418

WESTERN MARYLAND for December—

Gross	640,838	676,249	*35,411
Net aft. taxes	129,879	58,282	71,596
Gross, 6 mos.	4,200,197	4,310,544	*110,347
Net aft. taxes	944,641	604,250	340,390

*Decrease.

Miscellaneous Earnings.

COMMONWEALTH POWER, RAILWAY & LIGHT and subsidiary companies report for December—

	1914.	Increase.
Gross	$1,341,384	*0.48%
Net earnings	731,757	3.35%
Surplus after charges	302,856	5.84%
Balance after pfd. div.	222,856	8.10%
Gross, twelve months	14,006,484	2.47%
Net earnings	7,244,593	8.90%
Surplus after charges	2,243,734	5.56%
Balance after pfd. divs.	1,283,734	10.14%

*Decrease.

CUMBERLAND PIPE LINE COMPANY for the year ended Dec. 31—

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Net rofits	$31,688	$72,143	$88,982
Dividends	50,000	60,001	60,002
Deficit	18,313	*12,142	*28,980

*Surplus.

SOUTHWEST PIPE LINE for the year ended Dec. 31—

Net profits	406,359	806,227	967,661
Dividends	560,000	700,002	700,004
Deficit	153,642	*106,225	*267,657

*Surplus.

EUREKA PIPE LINE for the year ended Dec. 31—

Net profits	1,416,134	1,954,305	2,618,389
Dividends	1,599,997	1,999,990	1,499,989
Deficit	183,862	45,685	*1,118,400

*Surplus.

COMMODITIES MARKETS

WHEAT.

Feverish excitement, with soaring prices, characterized the day's operations in the wheat market, values at one time showing gains of 3⅝c to 5¼c from the close of Saturday. The May position in Chicago sold at $1.57 and July at $1.38¼, and the situation, as a whole, was declared to be the strongest in the memory of any grain man now living. There was a partial reaction at the close under profit taking, but final figures were 2⅝ to 4⅝c net higher. The visible supply showed a decrease of 3,304,000 bushels for the week, compared with a decrease of 847,000 last year. In the local cash market No. 2 red Winter wheat was quoted at $1.65½ and No. 2 hard at $1.66, all rail, cost, insurance, and freight, track; No. 1 Northern Duluth at $1.65½, and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $1.63, cost, insurance, and freight, Buffalo.

NEW YORK PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	..	..	1.63	1.56	1.00⅛
July	..	..	1.44½	1.40½	97

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

May	1.65⅝	1.61¼	1.64⅞	1.60¼	..
July	1.46¼	1.44½	1.46	..	..

CHICAGO PRICES.

May	1.57	1.53	1.56¼	1.51⅞	93¼
July	1.38¼	1.35	1.37½	1.34⅞	88⅝

CORN.

The corn market also made new high records for the season, influenced largely by the strength in wheat, although there was a good commission house demand, based on rumors of export sales and on the belief that prices are too low compared with wheat. The visible supply, however, showed an increase of 3,977,000 bushels, compared with an increase of 833,000 last year. In the local cash market No. 2 yellow corn was quoted at 87c, cost, insurance, and freight, to arrive.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	83¼	82½	82⅝	82	65¼
July	85⅛	83⅝	84⅞	83⅞	64⅛

OATS.

The market for oats advanced sharply with wheat and corn, and values touched levels not hitherto experienced so far this season. The visible supply increased 970,000 bushels. The local cash market was strong. Standard quoted at 64½ to 65½c; No. 2 white, 65 to 66c; No. 3 white, 64 to 65c; No. 4 white, 63 to 64c; fancy clipped white, 66 to 68c; ordinary clipped white, 65 to 66½c, all elevator.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	61⅝	60½	61	60⅝	39⅞
July	59⅝	58⅜	58⅝	58⅛	39½

PROVISIONS.

A good many provisions specialists think the price for hog products are too low compared with corn, as they figure that 83-cent corn should produce 13½-cent lard, and as the corn market was higher there was some active early buying which sent prices up quite sharply, but near the close the market reacted under profit taking and in sympathy with lower hog markets. Receipts of hogs at Chicago were 32,000, estimated for Tuesday 20,000; Kansas City received 17,000 and Omaha 11,000.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
May	11.35	11.25	11.27	11.27	11.05
July	11.52	11.42	11.42	11.45	11.20
Ribs—					
May	10.52	10.42	10.45	10.45	11.52
July	10.72	10.65	10.65	10.67	11.67
Pork—					
May	19.48	19.30	19.32	19.25	21.50
July	19.80	19.65	19.67	19.63	..

COTTONSEED OIL.

Trading in the cottonseed oil market was only moderately active, but prices were steadily held, closing 2@6 points net higher.

The range of prices was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot	..	..	7.00@7.10	7.00
February	..	..	7.02@7.06	7.00
March	7.11	7.09	7.07@7.10	7.05
April	..	..	7.15@7.20	7.13
May	7.29	7.21	7.23@7.24	7.19
June	..	..	7.31@7.41	7.28
July	7.48	7.42	7.43@7.44	7.38
August	7.55	7.52	7.51@7.53	7.45
September	..	..	7.57@7.65	7.55

COFFEE.

An offer to buy June and sell July at 100 points caused an advance of 6 points in the June position. February at the close was 4 points higher, but other months showed losses of 3 to 4 points. Total sales for the day were only 5,250 bags, and it was apparent that the trade was awaiting new developments. In the local spot market Rio 7s were quoted at 8¼ cents and Santos 4s at 10 cents.

The range of prices was as follows:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
February	6.10	6.10	6.08@6.11	6.04
March	..	..	6.11@6.12	6.14
April	..	..	6.20@6.22	6.24
May	6.31	6.30	6.30@6.31	6.33
June	..	..	6.30@6.31	6.24
July	7.31	7.31	7.30@7.31	7.33
August	..	..	7.38@7.39	7.41
September	7.45	7.42	7.45@7.46	7.49
October	..	..	7.53@7.54	7.56
November	..	..	7.58@7.59	7.62
December	..	..	7.64@7.65	7.68

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER.—Receipts yesterday, 4,094 packages. A fair amount of stock has moved in a regular way, but not very much outside demand, the stormy weather interfering with trade. Prices steady to firm for the better grades of table butter, fairly sustained on the medium qualities, and quite firm for ladles and packing stock. Creamery, extras, (92 score,) 33½c; higher scoring, 34@34½c; firsts, 30½@33c; seconds, 28@30c; thirds, 25@27c; creamery, held, extras, (92 score,) 32½@32¾c; higher scoring, 33@33½c; firsts, 30@32c; seconds, 27@29c; State dairy, finest, 32@33c; good to prime, 28½@31c; common to fair, 23@28c; renovated, extras, 25½@26c; firsts, 24@25c; lower grades, 22@23½c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24½@25½c; ladles, current make, firsts, 23@23½c; seconds, 22@22½c; lower grades, 20@21½c; packing stock, held, 21@22¼c; current make, No. 2, 20½@21c; lower grades, 18@20c.

EGGS.—Receipts yesterday, 9,865 cases. With a liberal surplus carried over from last week, and continued free receipts and advices of fairly liberal supplies in transit, the market shows further decline. At the reduction more trade is being diverted from storage eggs, and the tone is unsettled and irregular, but present offerings are ample for all present demands at the reduction quoted. Storage eggs lifeless today and quotations little more than nominal at the moment. Nearby eggs share in the general decline. Fresh gathered, extra fine, per dozen, 30@31c; extra firsts, 29½c; firsts, 29c; seconds, 28@28½c; thirds and poorer, 26@27½c; refrigerator, firsts, 26½@27c; seconds, 24½@26c; undergrades, 18@24c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery whites, fine to fancy, 32@33c; defective, 30@31c; gathered whites, as to size and quality, 30@32c; Western, gathered whites, 30@31c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery browns, [illegible]c; gathered brown and mixed colors, [illegible].

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

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ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Incorporated today:

Fox Film Corporation, motion pictures, $1,500,000; G. W. Hallett, H. L. Clark, S. E. Rogers, 160 Broadway.

Ciglia & Pelletier, Correct Carbureter Company, $500,000; A. T. Henderson, E. F. Ciglia, L. F. Pelletier, 302 West 111th Street.

Empire Kriterion Film Exchange, Buffalo, $100,000; A. H. Lewis, W. B. Grandison, S. H. Bunce, Buffalo.

Soapitor Company, Oswego, soapitors, soap, dispensing devices, chemical compounds, $450,000; R. N. Kenyon, A. and A. Baer, 352 West Thirteenth Street, Manhattan.

Leo D. Greenfield & Co., fur garments, $10,000; M. Horowitz, C. M. Rosenthal, J. M. Baum, 35 Nassau Street.

Messinger-Whitney Electric Co., Bronx, electric appliances, autos, motor cycles, traction engines, $50,000; P. B. Whitney, F. and H. Messinger, 1,519 Bryant Avenue, Bronx.

King-Blake Company, Mineola, contractors, realty, merchandise, $50,000; M. H. Blake, M. J. and C. King, 2 Rector Street, Manhattan.

Music Service Bureau, theatrical, represent music publishers, artists, publishers, $25,000; F. Bozza, R. Odierno, R. Durrell, 1,482 Broadway.

Linquest Electric Company, Jamestown, contracting, supplies, $25,000; E. M. Lund, O. B. and W. L. Linquest, Jamestown.

The Goodkind Company, Troy, department store, dry goods, $30,000; D. Markel, L. Kempner, C. Gelman, Troy.

Stuyvesant Supply Company, merchandise, mail order business, $25,000; M. Freedman, A. H. Stein, D. Connor, 66 Fort Washington Avenue.

Twin City Dairy Products Company, North Tonawanda, $20,000; C. T. Bush, W. C. Weyers, C. A. Doebler, 281 Vandervoort Street, North Tonawanda.

Perry Mercantile Corp'n, Perry, merchandise, realty, personal, letters patent, $20,000; C. F. Eaton, W. T. Olin, G. M. Traber, Perry.

Gardner Grocery Co., Jamestown, $20,000; W. P. Day, N. and C. S. Gardiner, Jamestown.

New York-Funchal Hand Embroidery Co., $15,000; A. S. Silverberg, N. Krauskopf, C. Streb, 220 5th Av.

W. N. White, Son & Co., fruit, produce, lumber, machinery, coal, motor cars, $20,000; W. S. Fogel, W. N. White, W. Plovett, 1,902 Wallace Av., Bronx.

World's Tower Film Vaults, Valley Cottage, storage, warehousing, $10,000; A. W. Dalton, H. Lawson, G. F. Handel, 45 West 11th St.

The Lambkin Coupling Co., Brooklyn, $10,000; G. H. and C. H. Lambkin, Creighton B. French, 1,117 Carroll St., Brooklyn.

Estates Appraisal Corp'n, real, personal property appraisal, $10,000; D. Greenwald, D. Costuma, R. Oppenheim, 1,867 7th Av.

O. H. Giesecke Co., Buffalo, contracting, realty, builders, patterns, special tools, $10,000; G. F. Wallace, E. M. and O. H. Giesecke, Buffalo.

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Inwood Realty Corpn, brokerage agency, $5,000; B., J., and C. G. Weiss, 559 West 171st Street.

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Bronx Motor Car Co., Bronx, garage, storage, $5,000; M. and E. Van Kueren, W. F. Wahrenberger, 1,120 Bryant Avenue.

Authorizations: The Modern Hospital Publishing Co., St. Louis, Mo., $10,000; rep., Ernest S. Reid, 437 Fifth Avenue, New York. Edward M. Poous Co., Tiverton, R. I., materials for hats, $100,000; rep., Edward M. Poous, 169 Mercer Street, Manhattan. International School of Midwifery, Dover, Del., $10,000; C. Deutsch, 229 East 14th Street, Manhattan.

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Dated Jan. 18, 1915.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE B. F. GOODRICH COMPANY.
Akron, O., January 27, 1915.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company, held this day, a dividend of Three and One-Half per cent. (3½%) on the Preferred Capital Stock of this Company was declared, payable One and Three-Fourths per cent. (1¾%) on April 1st, 1915, to Stockholders of record at the close of business March 19th, 1915, and One and Three-Fourths per cent., (1¾%,) payable July 1st, 1915, to Stockholders of record at the close of business June 18th, 1915.

(Signed) W. A. MEANS, Treasurer.

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AMERICAN GAS & ELECTRIC CO.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.
No. 30 Church Street, New York.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of AMERICAN GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, No. 30 Church Street, in the City of New York, New York, on Tuesday the 16th day of February, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the transaction of any and all business that may come before the meeting, including the election of five Directors for the term of three years, and considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all contracts, acts, proceedings, elections and appointments of the Board of Directors, Executive Committee and Officers of this Company since the last Annual Meeting of the Company, shown by the Minutes of said Board of Directors and Executive Committee, which will be open for inspection of stockholders at said meeting.

FRANK B. BALL, Secretary.
New York, February 2nd, 1915.

FEDERAL LIGHT & TRACTION CO.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.
New York City, N. Y., January 23, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of FEDERAL LIGHT & TRACTION COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, No. 60 Broadway (18th floor,) Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, N. Y., on Wednesday, February 3, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, including the approval and ratification of all action of the Board of Directors and of the Executive Committee since the last annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company. The polls will remain open one hour.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business January 22, 1915, and will be reopened on the 4th day of February, 1915. JOHN B. MARSH, Secretary.

GREELEY SQUARE HOTEL COMPANY.
Notice to Stockholders:

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Greeley Square Hotel Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, will be held at the office of said Company, in Hotel McAlpin, Broadway, corner of 33d and 34th Streets, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of February, 1915, at 11:30 A. M., for the purpose of electing nine (9) directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated, New York, February 1st, 1915.
WALBRIDGE S. TAFT, Secretary.

PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION OF ITS Board of Directors, a meeting of the stockholders of the New York Improved Meter Co. will be held at the office of the Company, 306-310 East 47th St., in the City of New York, in the Borough of Manhattan, State of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of February, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition that said corporation be forthwith dissolved and the giving or withholding of consent to such dissolution.

Dated New York, January 25, 1915.
JOSEPH LUSH, President.
CARL G. LUEDER, Secy. and Treas.

AZTEC LAND AND CATTLE CO., Limited.
Jan. 21, 1915.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Aztec Land and Cattle Company, Limited, will be held at the office of the company, No. 3 South William St., New York City, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1915, at 12 o'clock M., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

CHARLES D. LITHGOW, Secretary.

Old Dominion Steamship Company.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may be necessary or proper, will be held at the principal offices of the Company, Pier 25 North River, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, February 9th, 1915, at twelve M., and the polls will be closed at one P. M. The stock transfer books will be closed ten days prior to the date of meeting.

W. L. WOODROW, Secretary.

POPULAR GAMES COMPANY.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the POPULAR GAMES COMPANY will be held on Tuesday, February 16, 1915, at the office of the Company, No. 2 Rector Street, New York City, at 3:30 P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated February 2, 1915.
C. M. CHESTER, Jr., Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.
St. Louis, Mo., January 27th, 1915.

The Transfer Books of the Preferred and Common stock of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company will be closed at 12 o'clock M., on the 13th day of February, 1915, for the purposes of Common Dividend, this day declared, and the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Company, to be held on the 8th day of March, 1915, and be reopened at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the 9th day of March, 1915. E. H. THURSTON, Secretary.

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 27th, 1915.

A quarterly dividend of three per cent. (3%) was this day declared upon the Common Stock of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company, payable on March 1st, 1915, to Common Stockholders of record at the close of business on February 13th, 1915. Checks will be mailed.

T. T. ANDERSON, Treasurer.

The Cripple Creek Central Railway Co.
PREFERRED DIVIDEND NO. 37.

The regular quarterly dividend of One Per Cent. (1%) has been declared by the Board of Directors on the Preferred Stock of this Company, for the quarter ended Dec. 31, 1914, payable to all Preferred stockholders of record as of Feb. 15, 1915. Checks will be mailed March 1, 1915. ARTHUR J. RONAGHAN,
New York, Jan. 30, 1915. Treas.

The Cripple Creek Central Railway Co.
COMMON DIVIDEND NO. 21.

The regular quarterly dividend of One Per Cent. (1%) has been declared by the Board of Directors on the Common Stock of this Company, for the quarter ended Dec. 31, 1914, payable to all Common stockholders of record as of Feb. 15, 1915. Checks will be mailed March 1, 1915. ARTHUR J. RONAGHAN,
New York, Jan. 30, 1915. Treas.

Green Bay & Western Railroad Co.

The Board of Directors has fixed and declared Five Per Cent. to be the amount payable on Class "A" Debentures, a dividend of Five Per Cent. on the Capital Stock and Three-quarters of One Per Cent. on Class "B" Debentures out of the net earnings for the year 1914, payable at No. 40 Wall Street, New York, on and after February 8, 1915, the dividend on the stock to be payable to stockholders of record February 6, 1915, and said amounts payable on the Debentures to be paid upon presentation of the Debentures for notation thereon of such payment. Income tax ownership certificates will be required in respect of the Debentures.

CHARLES W. COX, Treasurer.

The International Nickel Company.

A dividend of 2½ per cent. on the Common Stock will be paid March 1st, 1915, to the holders of record at the close of business February 15, 1915.

The Stock Transfer Books will be closed at 3 P. M., February 15, 1915, and remain closed until 10 A. M., March 2nd, 1915.

Jas. L. Ashley,
Secretary and Treasurer.

New York, February 1, 1915.

KINGS COUNTY ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER COMPANY,
Brooklyn, N.Y.
60TH CONSECUTIVE DIVIDEND.
February 2nd, 1915.

The Board of Directors at a meeting held February 1st, 1915, declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. on the capital stock of the Company, payable on March 1st, 1915, to stockholders of record at 3 P. M., February 8th, 1915.

Transfer books close for annual meeting February 8th, 1915, at 3 P. M., and reopen February 24th, 1915, at 10 A. M.

Checks for the above dividend will be mailed. P. R. ATKINSON, Treasurer.

THE PENNSYLVANIA R. R. CO.
Philadelphia, Jan'y 27, 1915.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of **One and one-half per cent. (Seventy-five cents per share)** upon the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on and after Feb'y 27, 1915, to stockholders as registered upon the books of the Company at the close of business Feb'y 1, 1915. Checks will be mailed to stockholders who have filed permanent dividend orders.

JAMES F. FAHNESTOCK, Treasurer.

White Knob Copper & Development Co., Ltd.,
48 Cedar Street, New York.

Second Dividend: A regular quarterly dividend of ten cents a share on the preferred stock of the Company has been declared, payable on February 20th, 1915, to stockholders of record at the close of business on February 5th, 1915.

Dividend checks will be mailed to stockholders who have filed dividend orders.

Dated New York, January 28th, 1915.
MARK M. SALOMON, Treasurer.

120TH SEMI-ANNUAL CASH DIVIDEND.
Illinois Central Railroad Company.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a semi-annual dividend of two and one-half per cent. (2½%) in cash, payable March 1st, 1915, to holders of the Capital Stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered at the close of business Monday, February 8th, 1915.

D. R. BURBANK, Secretary.
New York, January 27th, 1915.

The J. G. White Management Corporation,
43 Exchange Place, New York.

The regular quarterly dividend (Eighth quarter) of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) has been declared on the Preferred Stock of this Corporation, payable March 1st, 1915, to stockholders of record at the close of business February 18th, 1915.

T. W. MOFFAT, Secretary.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURGH RAILWAY COMPANY.

Dividends of three per cent. on the preferred stock and of two per cent. on the common stock of this company have been declared, payable February 15th, 1915, to stockholders of record February 9th.

ERNEST ISELIN, Secretary.
New York, January 23, 1915.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Recover Sharply—Steel Sells 2 Points Above Minimum—Heavy Demand for Bonds.

Two happenings yesterday which did much to encourage sentiment in respect to the security markets as a whole were the very heavy oversubscription of the $49,000,000 issue of Pennsylvania first mortgage bonds, and a recovery of a full 2 points in United States Steel. The latter occurred only after an opening decline which, like the successive declines of last week, carried the stock to the newly fixed minimum. At 38 sufficient demand developed not only to maintain the price, but to carry it forward rapidly enough to bring it to 40 during the afternoon. The stock closed a fraction under that, and thus made up practically all of the reduction which was made in the official minimum on Saturday.

The movement of Steel yesterday, and of the rest of the market, relieved the Stock Exchange of the embarrassment which was inextricably connected with an effort to put an official appraisement on the market value of a leading stock, for that practically is what fixing minimums under the conditions which prevailed last week amounted to. The passing of the necessity for the time being at least of any further change in the minimum should not result in last week's embarrassment being forgotten. On the contrary, it should increase the sentiment in favor of freeing the market of artificial restrains which embarrass both the market and those who would regulate it.

The action of the stock market last week had shown that fundamentally it had rested on a very firm foundation, and the fruit of that fact was seen in yesterday's substantial recovery. The gains were large in a number of issues, and it was particularly satisfactory that the betterment was not confined to stocks, but extended to bonds, which last week had held their own even better than stocks had, but which, nevertheless, had been put under some check. The noteworthy success of the Pennsylvania issue offered further evidence of the breadth of the present investment demand, and the whole market profited by the situation, which was reflected in subscriptions to the Pennsylvania offering several times in excess of the amount of the issue. Bankers foresee a continuance of favorable conditions in the bond market, and it is to be expected that large additions will shortly be made to the amount of securities which has already been floated.

Market sentiment having turned into a favorable channel, little attention was paid to further railroad statements for the month of December showing heavy losses in both gross and net. They were accepted as reflection of past mishaps rather than as an indication of future prospects. The possible effects of an extension of the activities of the German Navy against British merchant ships were discussed, but the possibilities in that direction were not appraised as an important market factor. A further rise in copper, as well as in cotton, were taken note of as favorable factors, and so also were the unusually large exports of the latter staple, which made a good beginning toward another large credit trade balance this month. The price of wheat rose very sharply without causing surprise.

$49,000,000 BONDS SOLD.

Pennsylvania Road's Issue Heavily Oversubscribed Here.

The issue of $49,000,000 Pennsylvania Railroad Company consolidated mortgage 4½ per cent. bonds offered by Kuhn, Loeb & Co., last week at 103¾ has been heavily oversubscribed. Bankers handling the issue did not state the extent of the oversubscription or say on what percentage basis the bonds would be distributed. In Wall Street it was heard that the subscriptions had reached $200,000,000, or four times the available issue.

On the Curb $325,000 of the bonds were sold yesterday on a "when issued" basis, the price ranging from 104¼ to 104⅞ and closing at 104⅝. The sales of these bonds on the Curb last week amounted to $1,025,000.

AMERICANS LAG IN LONDON.

General Market, However, Shows a Tendency to Broaden.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Money was abundant and discount rates were quiet today.

The stock market opened dull, but business gradually broadened during the session. Home rails and foreign bonds were well supported, but realizing caused a slight setback in oil shares.

American securities opened a fraction higher. Business was not brisk, however, and prices were inclined to ease off at the close.

Trading Quiet in Paris.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—Trading was quiet on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 73 francs 75 centimes for cash. Exchange on London 25 francs 19 centimes.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

RESERVE BANKS DISCOUNT RATES.

	Days. 30 or Less.	30 to 60.	60 to 90.	Over 90.
Boston	4½	5	5	6
New York	4½	5	5	6
Philadelphia	4	4	4½	5
Cleveland	4½	5	5	6
Richmond	4½	4½	5	5
Atlanta	4	4	4½	4½
Chicago	4	4	4½	5
St. Louis	4½	5	5½	6
Minneapolis	4½	5	6	6
Kansas City	4	4	4½	5½
Dallas	4	4	4½	5½
San Francisco	4	4	4½	6

BANK ACCEPTANCES.

Sixty to ninety days....2¼@2¾

COLLATERAL LOANS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Renew. Rate.
On call	2	2	2	2

	60 Days.	90 Days.	4 to 6 Mos.
On time	2¼@2½	2½@2¾	3@3¼

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Four to six months, best names....3½@4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES.

Cable and Sight Rates.

	High.	Low.	Last.
Demand sterling	$4.84 11/16	$4.84⅝	$4.84⅝
Cables	4.85⅛	4.84 15/16	4.84 15/16

Closing Rates.

	Demand (or check,)	Cable.
London	$4.84⅝	$4.84 15/16
Paris	5.18⅜	5.17⅞
Berlin	.87⅛	.87⅜
Switzerland	5.29½	5.28¾
Holland	.40¼	.40⅜
Italy	5.42	5.41½

New York Clearing House exchanges, $249,504,985; balance, $15,966,238; Sub-Treasury credit balance, $1,678,846.

The local banks have lost $3,659,000 on their Sub-Treasury operations since Friday.

Exchanges on New York at domestic centres: Boston, par; Chicago, par; St. Louis, 5c premium; San Francisco, 50c premium; Minneapolis, 40c premium; Cincinnati, 10c premium; Montreal, $3.75 premium.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver in London, 22⅝d., unchanged; in New York, 48⅝c, unchanged.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

E. G. McWilliam has resigned as Secretary of the Savings Bank Section of the American Bankers' Association to become Publicity Manager of the Security Savings and Trust Company of Los Angeles.

Robert B. Smith has been placed in charge of the municipal security department of the firm of Knauth, Nachod & Kuhne.

The United States Mortgage and Trust Company will receive proposals until noon, Feb. 16 for the sale to itself of first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds of the Madison River Power Company to exhaust the sum of $41,714.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MONDAY, FEB. 1, 1915.

	Stocks, (Shares.)
Total sales	286,840
Same day last year	478,504
Year to date	5,362,557
Same period last year	10,584,260
Average price and change 50 stocks	62.55 + .28
Same day last year	72.40 — .57

	High.	Low.
Year's range to date	64.68 Jan. 22	60.07 Jan. 2
Same period last year	73.30 Jan. 31	67.50 Jan. 3
Range year 1914	73.30 Jan. 31	57.41 July 30
Range year 1913	79.10 Jan. 9	63.09 June 10

Closing. Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
28¼	28⅜	700	Alaska Gold Mines	27⅞	28¼	27⅞	28¼	+ ⅝
54½	54¾	20,000	Amalgamated Cop.	54¼	55	52⅞	54⅝	+ ⅞
49½	50⅛	100	Am. Agricul. Chem.	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	— ¼
38½	38¾	5,775	Am. Beet Sugar	38½	38⅞	37¾	38⅝	+ ⅝
83	85	100	Am. Beet Sugar pf.	83	83	83	83	—3⅛
29	29¼	7,200	Am. Can	27⅞	29¼	27½	29	+1
94¼	95	100	Am. Can pf.	94½	94½	94½	94½	+ ¼
45½	45¾	800	Am. Car & Fdry.	45¼	45½	45¼	45¼	— ⅜
107	108	10	Am. Coal Prod. pf.	108	108	108	108	...
45	46	500	Am. Cotton Oil	46	46	45½	45½	+ ½
24¾	24⅞	100	Am. H. & Leath. pf.	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼	— ¼

RIGHTS.

.27	.28		Alaska Gold					
16-64	18-64		C., M. & St. Paul					

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.
2s, r, 1930	99
2s, c, 1930	99
3s, r, 1918	101½
3s, c, 1918	101½
4s, r, 1925	109½
4s, c, 1925	110½
Pan 2s, r, 1936	98½

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.
Adams Ex.	..
Allis-Chal.	9
Do pf.	34
Am Ag C pf.	91
A B S & Fdy	87
Do pf.	135½
A C & F pf.	118
Am C pf.	..
A Coal Pr.	..
A C O pf.	93
Am Exp.	..
A H & L.	5¼
Am Lin.	9½
Do pf.	26
A Loc pf.	..
Am Malt.	6
Am Snuff.	153
Am St Fd.	27
A S R pf.	113
A T & C.	58½
Am Tob.	230
Am Wool.	15½
Do pf.	77½
Ann Arbor	..
Do pf.	..
Assets R.	..
Bald Loc.	..
Do pf.	..
B'ch Cr'k.	85
Batop M.	⅝
Br Shoe.	..
Do pf.	..
B Un G.	128
Bruns Ter.	5
But'k Co.	27
Canada So.	56¼
Case (J I) pf.	..
C R R of N J.	..
C & S A Tel	112
Chi & A.	..
Do pf.	11¼
Chi Gt W.	11
C, M & St Paul pf.	125
C, R I & Pacific	23½
Chi, St P, M & Om, ex div.	..
Do pf, ex div	..
C, C, C & St L.	22
Do pf.	54
Cluett-P.	..
Do pf.	100
Cleve & P.	158
C F & I.	24
Col & So.	25½
Do 1st pf	47
Do 2d pf.	35
Cont Can.	45
Do pf.	90
Corn P R pf.	65½
C-Am S.	42½
Do pf.	92
D & Co pf.	87⅞
D, L & W.	418
D M & Ft D	8¼
Do pf.	23
Det & M.	75
Do pf.	80
Dist Sec.	11½
D, S S & A	4
Do pf.	7

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Practically All the Oil Stocks Close Lower—Greater Activity in Bonds.

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to 167,468 shares of stocks and $347,000 of bonds. The sales of the stocks were divided as follows: Industrials, 29,370; oils, 1,138, and mining, 136,960. The range of prices in all issues in which transactions were recorded was:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
50	Kelly S. Tire	99¼	99½	98	99
105	Nat. C. & S.	53⅜	54¼	53⅜	54¼
385	N. C. & S. pf.	96⅝	97¼	96⅝	97
320	N. Y. Transp.	6½	7½	6½	7½
1,000	C. of R. & H.	7⅛	†7¼	6⅞	6⅞
200	Sterling Gum.	3½	3½	3½	3½
1,900	U. C. St., new.	9⅜	9½	9⅜	9½
25,000	U. P. S., new.	4⅜	4⅜	3 15/16	4
210	Willys Overl.	92	92	90	92
200	‡World Film.	5	5	4⅞	4⅞

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
300	Ang.-Am. Oil	14¾	14¾	14¾	..
42	Atl. Refining	630	620	627	+ 2
1	Continental Oil	230	230	230	..
1	Gal.-Sig. Oil	165	165	165	— 1
120	Illinois P. Line	133	131	132	..
40	Nat. Transit	37	36½	37	..
150	Ohio Oil	136½	134	134	— 3½

BONDS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
Braden Cop. 6s	142	145	142	145
Can. Pac. 6% notes	102	103	102	103
Chi. Elevated 5s	94	98	94	98
Gov. of Arg. 6s, (a)	100⅛	100¼	100⅛	100¼
Gov. of Arg. 6s, (b)	99¾	99⅞	99¾	99⅞
Gov. of Arg. 6s, (c)	99¾	99⅞	99¾	99⅞
Western Pacific 5s	37	39	..	..

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

United States Steel improved materially in the late trading on the Consolidated Exchange after touching the new minimum price of 38 in the early dealings. The whole market improved as the better tone in Steel developed, with Reading particularly active and strong. The odd lot dealings through the commission houses was on a large scale. In the grain department wheat rose to a new high level.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
2,960	Amal. Copper	54	55⅛	52⅞	55
1,470	Am. B. Sugar	38½	39	37¾	38⅞
910	Am. Can	28⅛	29⅜	27⅞	29⅜
40	Am. Car & F.	45¼	45½	45¼	45½
80	Am. Loco	22	22¾	22	22¾
470	Am. Smelting	60¼	62½	60	62½
30	Am. Sugar	109¾	110	109½	110
40	A., T. & S. F.	94	95⅛	94	95⅛
150	Beth. Steel	48¾	48¾	47½	48¾
30	Bkln. R. T.	86⅞	87⅛	86⅞	87⅛
190	California Pet.	17⅝	19¾	17⅝	19
60	Can. Pacific	157¾	159¼	157¾	158¾
160	Cent. Leather	34⅜	34¾	34¼	34¾
10	Ches. & Ohio	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Total sales Feb. 1, 1915	$1,462,000
Same day last year	3,718,000
Year to date	58,008,000
Same period last year	93,080,000
Average price and change 40 bonds	83.83 + .08
Same day last year	89.19 — .05

	High.	Low.
Year's range to date	83.96 Jan. 26	81.51 Jan. 2
Same period last year	89.36 Jan. 27	86.40 Jan. 3
Year 1914	89.42 Feb. 4	81.42 Dec. 2
Year 1913	92.31 Jan. 10	85.45 Dec. 18

U S 2s, reg
2,500.......... 90
Jap Gov 4½s, ster loan, 2d Ser
5,000.......... 78½
German stamp
1,000.......... 76½
4,000s20f....... 76½
6,000s20f....... 76¼
4,000.......... 76¼
Rep of Cuba 5s, 1904
9,000.......... 96⅜
5s, 1914
11,000.......... 93¾
N Y State 4s, 1958, registered

Chi, Mil & St P gen 4s, Ser A
1,000.......... 91⅞
4s, 1934
1,000.......... 89¾
1,000s20f....... 89¼
cv 5s, Ser B, w i
51,000..........102⅝
77,000..........102¼
refund 4½s
15,000.......... 90
C & P W 5s
2,000..........103¼
20,000..........103⅜
Chi, Rock Isl & P Ry deb 5s
1,000.......... 57

Kans & M 2d 5s
1,000.......... 96
K C, Ft S & M 4s
2,000.......... 72
Kan City So 5s
3,000.......... 91
Kan City So 3s
1,000.......... 67½
Kan City Term 4s
1,000.......... 93
10,000s20f....... 92¾
Lack Steel 5s, 1915
10,000..........100
5s, 1923
1,000.......... 90½
Laclede Gas L of St L 1st 5s

St L, R Mt & P 5s, Tr Co cfs of dep
13,000.......... 80
St L & S F R R gen 5s, Tr Co ctfs of dep stamped
3,000.......... 42
ref 4s
7,000.......... 70
cfs of dep stpd
3,000.......... 65½
Seab A L adj 5s, ext int
3,000.......... 66½
So Bell T & T 1st 5s
1,000.......... 97½

RAILWAY EQUIPMENT BONDS.

The following are quoted on a percentage basis.

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Atl. Coast Line	1914-'21	4 @4½	4.75	4.62
Balt. & Ohio	1914-'23	4½	4.75	4.62
Buff., Roch. & P.	1914-'30	4½@5	4.70	4.55
Canadian Pacific	1915-'28	4½	4.88	4.80
Ches. & Ohio	1914-'17	4½	4.95	4.80
Chicago & N. W.	1914-'23	4½	4.65	4.50
Chi., Ind. & Louis.	1914-'23	4½	5.30	5.00
C., St. L. & N. O.	1915-'24	5	4.80	4.70
Del. & Hudson	1922	4½	4.70	4.60
Erie R. R.	1914-'23	4½@5	5.00	4.90
Hocking Valley	1914-'23	4 @5	4.95	4.75
Illinois Central	1914-'23	4½@5	4.75	4.60
Louis. & Nash.	1914-'23	5	4.70	4.55
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	1914-'23	5	5.60	5.20
Mo. Pacific	1914-'22	5	6.50	5.50
N. Y. C. Lines	1915-'28	4½@5	4.95	4.90
Norf. & Western	1915-'24	4½	4.70	4.50
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1915-'28	6	5.25	5.00
Penn. Gen. F'ght.	1914-'23	4 @4½	4.70	4.50
St. L., I. M. & S.	1914-'24	5	5.85	5.30
Seab'd Air Line	1914-'23	5	5.00	4.90
Southern Ry	1914-'24	4½@5	4.95	4.80
Southern Pacific	1914-'23	4½	4.75	4.60
Virginian Ry	1914-'19	5	5.25	5.00

PUBLIC UTILITY SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Tennessee Ry., L. & P. pf.	37½	39½
United Light & Rys.	45	48
United Light & Rys. 1st pf.	67	70
United Light & Rys. 2d pf.	64½	67
Utah Securities	13	16
Western Power	16	18
Western Power pf.	61	65

*Par value, $50.
*Par value, $50. †Ex div.

METAL MARKET REPORTS.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Friday. Bid.	Asked.
Tin	37.50	38.50	36.75	37.75
Lead	3.75	3.85	3.75	3.85
Iron, No. 2X fdy.	$14.00	$14.50	$14.00	$14.50
Spelter	7.60	7.90	7.50	7.90
Antimony	19.00	20.00	19.00	20.00

Electrolytic copper, 30 days, is quoted at 14¾@14⅞c a pound, up ⅛c in the open market.

London quotations were:

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Copper, spot	63	12	6	63	5	0
Copper, futures	64	0	0	63	12	0
Tin, spot	175	0	0	172	0	0
Tin, futures	162	0	0	160	0	0
Lead	18	15	0	18	7	6
Spelter	36	15	0	37	0	0

TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Receipts and expenditures for Jan. 30:

	Jan. 30.	Month.	Fiscal Yr.
Customs	$740,910	$16,558,193	$124,291,126
Ordinary	1,013,797	27,096,155	191,643,324
Cor. and inc. tax	74,080	667,773	9,905,215
Total rcts.	$2,537,398	$50,712,626	$367,799,785
Miscellaneous.	708,610	6,390,504	41,960,118
Expenditures.	1,530,905	58,829,053	438,655,055
Surplus	1,006,493	*8,116,426	*70,855,270

*Deficit.

THE CITY'S FINANCIAL OPERATIONS.

Cash Position, Jan. 30, 1915.

CITY TREASURY.

Balance Jan. 23		$25,385,027.57	
Receipts—			
Taxes and other revenues	$2,064,237.04		
Temporary loans	6,084,260.27		
		8,148,497.31	
		$33,533,524.88	
Payments—			
General administration	$4,678,648.11		
Redemption of bonds	333,500.11		
Interest on bonds	29,317.13		
		5,041,465.24	
Balance Jan. 30			$28,492,059.64

SINKING FUNDS.

Balance uninvested Jan. 23	$1,406,741.40	
Receipts	232,347.11	
	$1,639,088.51	
Payments	332.75	
Balance uninvested Jan. 30		1,638,755.76
Aggregate balances Jan. 30		$30,130,815.40

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WILL FIGHT ORDER TO END OVERDRAFTS

Plan of Currency Controller Williams Is Vigorously Assailed by Bankers Here.

WOULD DO HARM, THEY SAY

And Dishonoring Checks Needlessly Might Cause Runs on Perfectly Solvent Banks.

National banks in this city received letters yesterday from John Skelton Williams, Controller of the Currency, declaring that overdrafts should be entirely stopped and asking them to take steps to that end. Mr. Williams said:

> The granting by some banks of accommodations in the form of overdrafts is objectionable and cannot be countenanced by this office.
>
> This practice should cease entirely. To facilitate the accomplishment of this result, the subject has been taken up by this office with the Banking Departments of the various States, and these authorities have generally agreed to take the necessary action to secure the effective co-operation of State banks in attaining the end desired.
>
> You are requested to adopt a resolution directing that no officer or employe of your bank shall pay or charge to the account of any depositor any check of such depositor when there are not sufficient funds on deposit to the credit of the drawer of the check to meet the same.
>
> Please forward a certified copy of the resolution to this office as soon as it has been adopted. Let the resolution show the names of the Directors present at the meeting.
>
> Please acknowledge receipt without delay.

Would Do Much Harm.

Bankers who discussed the matter yesterday said that such drastic measures would do no good and might do a great deal of harm.

"Overdrafts are kept at a minimum," said one of them, "and it is never by the desire of the bank that they arise. Yet they arise in many legitimate ways and hardly ever result in any loss to the bank. In other words, where an overdraft is permitted it is for some special reason and there is usually no question about the depositor's ability to make it good.

"It often happens that the depositor who overdraws his account by inadvertence is a borrower at the bank and his loan is secured by collateral which is ample to cover his overdraft as well. Why should we antagonize a good customer under such circumstances? It is a matter of business judgment whether a certain depositor's standing and responsibility are such as to warrant an overdraft or whether his check should be returned dishonest.

"In banks where women are largely depositors it happens that they will overdraw their accounts a few dollars when they are well-known to be good for many thousands. Women are proverbially unable to keep their accounts balanced and in such a case it would be ridiculous to return their check.

"In California, I believe, loans are made largely by granting overdrafts, instead of in the form that is usual here. Loans are generally made in this way in London, the borrower having a debit balance at the bank for the amount he has drawn. This is not the practice in the Eastern States, however, and every effort is made to discourage overdrafts.

"An overdraft is, of course, merely a loan in another form. If banks were compelled to permit no overdrafts under any circumstances, all they would have to do would be to enter the amount as a loan. It would merely mean a change in bookkeeping."

Injury to Correspondent Banks.

"Many of the overdrafts that appear in bank statements," said the President of another bank, "are in the accounts of correspondent banks in the interior, and this is usually due to delayed mails. The correspondent bank may be mailing checks on us and forwarding its items for deposit with us every day. The remittance for that day may not arrive on time, while enough checks come in to overdraw the account. We know the remittance will arrive in the next mail. Should we refuse the bank's checks on this account?

"Such action might easily result in great damage to the correspondent bank. If one of its checks is refused, it becomes known, and a run may start on the bank, perhaps resulting in closing it when it is perfectly solvent. Such things have happened when a New York bank, for sufficient business reasons, has declined to grant an overdraft. When there is no business reason for it, it would be bad business and bad banking.

"I knew of a case last Winter where the daily remittances of one of the strongest banks doing business with us failed to arrive for four days in succession. This was around Christmas, and was due to the congestion of the mails. All four remittances finally came in together. It would have been absurd to question the credit of the bank concerned, but if we had refused its checks during the four days it might have started rumors about it. Incidentally, we would have lost the account for no good reason whatever."

In private conversation many bankers denounced Controller Williams's proposal as utter folly, and said that to adopt it would be making a rule merely to be broken. Practically all of the national banks here, it was said, would decline to take any such action.

With reference to Mr. Williams's statement that the State Banking Departments were to co-operate with him in the matter, it was said at the Banking Department here that no word had been received from him on the subject.

COMMERCIAL MORTALITY.

Dun & Co. Report Failures for January Amounting to $49,640,575.

The statistics of commercial failures in the United States for January disclose a business mortality far in excess of normal. Total insolvencies last month, as reported to R. G. Dunn & Co., reached the unprecedented number of 2,848, and several defaults of unusual size swelled the aggregate indebtedness to $49,640,575, these figures comparing with 1,857 suspensions for $39,374,347 in the same period of the preceding year; 1,814 for $22,972,769 in 1913; 1,814 in 1912 for only $19,770,530 and but 1,663 four years ago, when the liabilities were $24,090,649.

In contrast with 1914, the greatest increase, numerically, was in trading occupations, there being no less than 2,184 reverses in this division, against 1,390, while the amount involved was $20,227,896, as compared with $15,890,980 last year. Similarly, losses in manufacturing lines rose to 551—a growth of 144—and because of the financial difficulties of an agricultural machinery concern that supplied in the neighborhood of $16,000,000 the total debts in this section were slightly more than $27,000,000, or about $10,000,000 above those of January, 1914.

VOTES TO BUY TRUST CO.

Lawyers Title Insurance to Absorb the Home of Brooklyn.

Directors of the Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Company yesterday voted to purchase the stock and absorb the business of the Home Trust Company of Brooklyn. The terms of the agreement provide that the Home Trust Company's stock shall be taken at $158 a share in cash, and, in addition, a share of Lawyers Title stock will be exchanged for each ten-share lot of Home Trust stock turned in. The Home Trust Company is capitalized at $750,000.

Formal approval of the agreement will be asked of shareholders in the two companies in a few days. It is planned to conduct the business hereafter under the name of the Lawyers Title and Trust Company.

Frederic E. Gunnison, President of the Home Trust Company, will be elected Vice President of the new organization. The Brooklyn banking operations of the company will be conducted at 44 Court Street, where the Home Trust now has offices.

COTTON UP ON BIG EXPORTS.

Gain of 14 Points on News of 224,000 Bales Going Abroad in 2 Days.

Record exports were the incentive for an active and stronger cotton market yesterday. Saturday's exports were more than 93,000 bales and yesterday's 129,993. Galveston alone shipped 74,000 bales yesterday. The exports for Saturday and yesterday exceeded by 16,000 bales the clearances for the whole of the corresponding week last year.

Prices in the first half hour lost three points, but at the close were up 11 to 14 points.

Liverpool mail advices were bullish. Lancashire yarn mills were reported engaged until May. Some manufacturers said they had not seen such demand for forty years, due to Government orders.

Southern spot markets as officially reported were unchanged to 1-16c advance. The local market for spot cotton was quiet, 5 points advance; 8.50c for middling upland. The range of contract prices was as follows:

CLOSED VERY STEADY.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
March	8.62	8.47	8.62@8.64	8.48@8.50
May	8.89	8.74	8.88@8.89	8.76@8.77
July	9.09	8.96	9.08@9.09	8.97@8.98
October	9.32	9.16	9.30@9.31	9.19@9.20
December	9.46	9.31	9.44@9.45	9.32@9.33
January	9.55	9.41	9.52@9.54	......

RECEIPTS AT LEADING PORTS.

	Yesterday.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Galveston	18,672	16,875	13,308
New Orleans	5,141	15,506	3,443
Mobile	426	873	288
Savannah	16,513	16,173	3,713
Charleston	986	4,280	767
Wilmington	1,897	1,630	1,251
Norfolk	4,224	7,126	2,759

Total port receipts, 55,249, against 34,170 same day last year.

RECEIPTS AT PRINCIPAL INTERIOR POINTS.

	Yesterday.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Augusta	760	2,196	865
Memphis	2,049	6,668	6,366
St. Louis	525	4,577	5,845
Houston	31,312	39,943	23,279

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

	Today.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Galveston	46,500 to 48,500	46,187	27,313
N. Orleans	15,500 to 17,500	15,395	10,664

Total exports yesterday, 129,993; so far this season, 3,816,492, against 6,417,027 for same period last year.

SPOT MARKETS.

Sales.		Price Middling.	—Stocks.— 1915.	1914.
8,075	New Orleans	8 1-16	415,538	283,452
525	Mobile	7⅞	40,827	44,523
9,890	Savannah	8½	334,155	108,872
982	Galveston	8⅝	554,738	390,081
—	Wilmington	8	53,428	23,903
—	Norfolk	8	85,284	63,877
700	Augusta	8 1-16	149,127	85,398
1,750	Memphis	8	239,942	219,945
—	St. Louis	8	39,489	31,920
755	Houston	8¼	225,739	210,060

The Liverpool market opened quiet. There was a quiet business in spot cotton, with middling four points decline at 5.01d. Sales, 6,000 bales. Receipts 26,119 bales, all American closed steady.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Saturday. Bid.	Asked.
Anglo-American	14½	15	14½	15
Atlantic Refining	623	630	625	630
Borne-Scrymser	260	275	260	275
Buckeye Pipe Line	112	114	112	114
Chesebrough Mfg	650	670	650	670
Colonial Oil	97	103	97	103
Continental Oil	228	232	227	232
Crescent Pipe Line	39	41	39	41
Cumberland Pipe L.	50	55	50	55
Eureka Pipe Line	220	230	225	230
Galena-Signal Oil pf.	138	142	138	143
Galena-Sig. Oil com.	165	168	166	170
Indiana Pipe Line	102	105	102	105
National Transit	36⅛	37⅛	36½	37½
N. Y. Transit	225	230	225	230
Northern Pipe Line	94	97	94	97
Ohio Oil	134	137	137	139
Pierce Oil	14	14½	14	14½
Prairie O. & Gas	467	472	473	477
Solar Refining	245	255	245	255
Southern Pipe Line	220	224	220	224
South Penn. Oil	287	292	292	295
S. W. Penn. P. L.	115	120	115	120
Stand. Oil of Cal	291	294	295	297
Stand. Oil of Ind	448	452	448	452
Stand. Oil of Kan	365	375	355	365
Stand. Oil of Ky	247	252	250	255
Stand. Oil of Neb	315	325	320	330
Stand. Oil of N. J.	398	400	398	400
Stand. Oil of N. Y.	195	197	195	197
Stand. Oil of Ohio	425	435	425	435
Swan & Finch	160	165	160	165
Union Tank	83	85	83	85
Vacuum Oil	195	198	196	199
Washington Oil	35	40	35	40
Illinois L. I., w. i.	129	132	131	133

3D AV. COMMITTEE ASKS FOR DIVIDEND

Stockholders Who Investigated Company's Affairs Say Earnings Were Equivalent to 8%.

THEY UPHOLD WHITRIDGE

But Report That the Directors Represent the Bondholders Rather Than Stockholders.

The committee of stockholders of the Third Avenue Railway Company appointed at the last annual meeting by President F. W. Whitridge to investigate the affairs of the company, made a report to the Board of Directors yesterday in which it maintained that the stockholders should receive a dividend and it was recommended that a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent. be declared. While upholding President Whitridge the committee attacked the Board of Directors as not representing the stockholders.

"The company's records show," said the report, "that the the company's Directors, collectively, have at no time owned over 113 shares of the stock out of the total outstanding issue. The directorate is justly criticized as representing the bondholders and not the stockholders. We believe that the stockholders as a body are not represented and that a more general representation of their interests is desirable as a matter of propriety as well as public policy."

It is contended in the report that the real earnings of the Third Avenue Railroad Company for 1914 were the equivalent of approximately 8 per cent. on the stock. An item of $1,152,750, placed in a reserve fund for depreciation and contingencies, the committee said, should have been considered as part of the surplus, thus increasing the net income from $2,050,173 to $3,202,923.

In reply to the committee's report Mr. Whitridge sent a letter to the Board of Directors disputing the main points raised. The committee, he said, was in error in considering the depreciation fund as earnings. Regarding the charge that the Directors were not properly representative of the stockholders, Mr. Whitridge said:

"The committee is mistaken in supposing that the present board represents only 113 shares of stock. As a matter of fact I find that one Director is the representative of a company which has 6,025 shares of stock in its name and two Directors are members of firms who, at the time of the stockholders' meeting, held 2,722 shares and 2,015 shares, respectively. Besides which, I believe the fact to be that the present Directors represent many thousands of shares in addition."

BOSTON BANK STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Weekly statement of national banks:

	Jan. 30, 1915.	Inc. from Prev. Week.
Circulation	$9,400,000	*$245,000
Loans, disc'ts, and inv.	232,686,000	*907,000
Ind. dep. inc. U. S.	175,245,000	*2,543,000
Due to banks	82,756,000	*749,000
Time deposits	5,041,000	348,000
Exchange for Clearing H.	11,845,000	372,000
Due from banks	22,164,000	*2,496,000
Cash reserve	21,795,000	2,000
Reserve in Fed. Res. Bk.	9,792,000	637,000
Reserve with other banks	28,397,000	257,000
Cash excess	9,208,000	86,000
Excess in New York	15,805,000	341,000
Excess with Fed. Res. Bk.	3,496,000	679,000
Total excess	28,504,000	1,106,000

*Decrease.

OUT-OF-TOWN MARKETS

BALTIMORE.

STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
25	Con. Coal	94½	94½	94½	94½
40	Con. Power	105	105	105	105
10	Con. Power pf.	112	112	112	112
674	Cosden & Co.	5	5	5	5
8	German Bank	121½	121½	121½	121½
50	U. S. Steel	38½	38½	38½	38½
40	West. N. Bk.	36½	36½	36½	36½

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Balt. Elec. 5s, stamped	98½	98½	98½	98½
3,100	C. Balt. 4s, '51	94½	94½	94½	94½
2,000	City Balt. 4s, '6s, B. D.	94¼	94¼	94¼	94¼
5,000	C. Balt. 4s, '61	94½	94½	94½	94½
3,000	City Balt. 4s, '61, S. L.	94¼	94¼	94¼	94¼
10,000	C. Balt. 4s, '62	94½	94½	94¼	94¼
4,000	Con. Gas 4½s.	93½	93½	93½	93½
10,000	C. Power 4½s.	88⅜	88½	88⅜	88½
500	Elkhorn F. 5s.	94	94	94	94
2,000	F., C. & T. 5s.	100	100	100	100
1,000	G., C. & N. 5s.	102	102	102	102
5,000	Md. Elec. 5s.	98	98	98	98
7,000	Mt. V.-W. C. D. 5s.	35	35	35	35
8,000	U. R. & E. 1st 4s	83½	83½	83½	83½
8,000	U. R. & E. inc. 4s	62¾	62¾	62½	62½
500	U. R. & E. fg. 5s	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾

CHICAGO.

STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
28	Chi. Ry., S. 2.	26½	27	26½	27
100	Chi. Ry. S. 3.	5½	5½	5½	5½
15	Chi. T. & T.	206	206	206	206
25	Com. Edison	137	137	136⅝	136⅝
25	H., S. & M. pf.	106½	106½	106½	106½
30	Illinois Brick.	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
15	K. C. Ry. & L. P.	45	45	45	45
10	Mon. Ward pf.	112¾	112¾	112¾	112¾
105	Natl. Carbon	130⅛	130⅛	130	130
27	Public Svc.	77	77	77	77
45	People's Gas	119	119½	119	119½
12	Quaker Oats	230	230	230	230
2,047	Sears-Roebuck	205	215	205	207
40	Sears-Roeb. pf.	123	124½	123	124½
50	Stewart War.	48¾	49	48¾	49
57	Swift	108	108	108	108
30	U. S. Steel	38¼	39⅜	38¼	39⅜
315	Carbide	157¾	158	157¾	158

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$5,000	Chi. Ry. 5s.	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞
1,000	Chi. Ry. 5s.	90	90	90	90
9,000	City Rys. 5s.	98⅝	98⅝	98½	98⅝
6,000	Edison 5s	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞
4,000	Ogden Gas 5s.	92½	92½	92½	92½

PHILADELPHIA.

STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
100	Alliance Ins.	16	16	16	16
100	Am. Can	29	29	29	29
10	Am. Gas of NJ.	101	101	101	101
4	Bald. Loco. pf.	102½	102½	102½	102½
10	Beth Steel	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
98	Cambria Steel.	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	42⅜
46	Camb. S. scrip	97½	97½	97½	97½
104	Elec. S. Bat.	48	48	48	48
40	Erie	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
55	Ins. Co. of NA.	21½	21½	21½	21½
10	Lake Superior.	9	9	9	9
13	Leh. Nav. stk.	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
180	Leh. Nav. cfs.	75	75	75	75
25	Nevada Cons.	12½	12½	12½	12½
105	*Penn. R. R.	52¾	53⅛	52¾	53 1-16
1	Penn. Salt	90	90	90	90
255	Phila. Elec.	23¼	23⅜	23¼	23⅜
20	Reading	73	73	73	73
715	Tono. Belmont.	4¼	4¼	4¼	4 5-16
1,260	Tono. Mining	7⅝	7⅝	7 7-16	7 7-16
119	Un. Gas Imp.	81½	81½	81	81
3,033	U. S. Steel	38¼	40	38	40
20	Union Trac.	36	36	36	36
6	West. Coal	60	60	60	60

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$4,000	Am. G. & E. 5s	85¼	85⅜	85¼	85¼
900	Am. G. & E. 5s	85½	85½	85½	85½
1,000	Bald. L. 1st 5s.	101⅜	101⅜	101⅜	101⅜
1,000	El. & P. 4s, cfs	77⅜	77⅜	77⅜	77⅜
16,000	Inter. Rys. 4s.	58¼	58½	58¼	58½
1,000	Jeff., Frank. & Clear. 4s	90½	90½	90½	90½
3,000	L. V. g. con. 4s.	87½	87½	87½	87½
1,000	L. V. g. c. 4½s	97⅜	97⅜	97⅜	97⅜
1,000	L. V. Tr. 1st 5s	89	89	89	89
3,000	Phila. Elec. 4s	78⅛	78⅛	78	78
13,000	Pa. cv. 3½s, '15	100	100	100	100
900	Pa. Co. scr., '16	90	90	90	90
4,000	Read. imp. 4s.	96	96	96	96
1,000	Welsbach 5s	89¼	89¼	89¼	89¼

*Ex dividend.

PITTSBURGH.

STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
900	Columbia G. & E.	11⅜	12⅛	11⅛	11⅛
415	Crucible Steel	12½	12¾	12½	12¾
40	Crucible Steel pf.	78	78	78	78
50	Ind. Brew. pf.	21	21	21	21
404	Mfrs. L. & H.	49¼	49¼	49	49¼
110	Nat. Fireproofing	5½	5½	5½	5½
40	Ohio Fuel Supply.	40	40	40	40
595	Pittsburgh Brew.	5¼	5¼	5	5
10	Pittsburgh P. G.	108½	108½	108½	108½
160	Pure Oil	15	15	14⅞	14⅞
20	Union S. & Sig.	98	98	98	98
135	U. S. Steel	38	40½	38	40½
100	Westingh. A. B.	119⅝	119⅝	119⅝	119⅝
170	Westingh. Elec.	35¾	36	35¾	36

BOSTON.

MINING.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
200	Adventure	1	1	1	1
741	Alaska	27¾	28⅜	27⅜	28¼
9,593	Alaska rights	30c	30c	27c	29c
255	Allouez	39½	40	39	40
610	Amal. Copper	53¾	54⅞	52⅞	54⅞
2,590	Am. Zinc	20¾	21	20¾	21
860	Arizona Com.	4¾	5	4¾	4⅞
100	Bonanza	32c	32c	32c	32c
3,765	Butte & Sup.	46⅜	46¾	45⅝	46½
85	Cal. & Arizona	52⅝	53	52½	53
26	Cal. & Hecla	380	385	380	385
20	Chino	36¼	36½	36¼	36½
111	Copper Range	33	33	32⅞	33
40	Daly-West	2	2	2	2
85	Granby	61½	62½	61½	62½
6	Greene-Can.	23¼	24	23¼	24
15	Hancock	11	11	11	11
420	Indiana	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
17	Isl. Creek pf.	87½	87½	87½	87½
60	Isle Royale	21⅛	21⅛	21	21
50	Kerr Lake	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
10	Keweenaw	3	3	3	3
20	Lake	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
25	Miami	18½	18½	18½	18½
125	Mohawk	52	52½	51¾	51¾
90	Nevada Con.	12	12⅛	12	12⅞
425	New Arcadian.	5 1-16	5¼	5 1-16	5¼
260	North Butte	22⅞	23	22½	22⅞
105	North Lake	1	1	1	1
2	Old Dominion	42⅝	42⅝	42	42
82	Osceola	64½	66½	64½	66½
55	Quincy	51½	51⅝	51½	51⅝
35	Ray Con.	17	17	17	17
50	Santa Fe	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
295	Shannon	4⅞	5	4⅞	5
65	Shattuck	23½	23½	23⅛	23⅛
20	Superior Cop.	27	27	27	27
165	Tamarack	33	33	31½	31½
100	Trinity	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
130	U. S. Smelting.	20½	20½	20¼	20½
22	U. S. Smelt. pf	39½	40	39	40
1,100	Utah Apex	2¼	2¼	2	2
200	Utah Con.	9½	9½	9½	9½
75	Utah Copper	53⅝	54¼	53⅝	54¼
20	Wolverine	36½	36½	36½	36½

RAILROADS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
19	Boston & Alb.	193¾	194	193¾	194
154	Boston El.	94	94	94	94
9	Bos. & Lowell	122	122	122	122
242	Boston & Me.	23	23	22	22¾
6	Fitchburg pf.	55	55	55	55
5	Maine Central	96	96	96	96
35	Mass Elec. pf.	48	48½	48	48½
584	N.Y., N.H. & H.	50½	51⅜	49⅜	51⅜
10	Union Pacific	120¼	120¼	120¼	120¼
10	Un. Pac. war.	28½	28½	28½	28½
1	Vt. & Mass.	108	108	108	108
53	West E. St. Ry.	71	71	71	71

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
255	Am. Ag. Chem.	39½	40	39	40
13	Am. Ag. C. pf.	91½	92	91	91½
50	Am. H. & L. pf	24½	24½	24½	24½
50	Amoskeag	60	60	60	60
10	Am. Pneu. S.	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
25	Am. Pneu. S. pf	17	17	17	17
138	Am. Sugar	109	110½	109	110½
13	Am. Sugar pf.	114	114	113¼	113¼
359	Am. Tel. & T.	120½	120⅝	120¼	120⅝
32	Am. Woolen pf	78	78½	77½	77½
10	Edison	259	259	258½	258½
6	General Elec.	143	143¼	142½	143¼
30	Mass Gas	81½	81½	81	81
20	Mass Gas pf.	91½	91½	91⅛	91½
50	McElwaine pf.	102½	102½	102	102
10	Mergenthaler	183	183	183	183
5	N. E. Tel.	141	141	141	141
34	Pullman	152	152	152	152
20	Reece Button	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼
50	Reece Folding	4½	4½	4½	4½
59	Swift & Co.	108	108	107½	107½
32	Torrington	28½	28½	28½	28½
25	Torrington pf.	27½	27½	27½	27½
15	United Fruit	118	118½	118	118½
586	Un. Shoe M.	55	56¼	54¾	55½
1,576	U. S. Steel	38¼	39⅞	38	39⅞
15	U. S. Steel pf.	102½	102½	102½	102½
361	Western Union	63¾	64¼	63⅝	64¼

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$200	Am. T. & T. 4s	88⅜	88⅜	88⅜	88⅜
15,500	Am. T. & T. 4½s	99¼	99⅜	99¼	99⅜
1,000	A., G. & W. I. 5s	61½	61½	61½	61½
100	C., R. & M. H. 7s.	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1,000	Mass Gas 4½s.	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¼
2,000	N. E. Tel. 5s.	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
1,000	Swift & Co. 5s.	94⅞	94⅞	94⅞	94⅞
2,000	West End 4s.	99½	99½	99½	99½
4,000	West. Tel. 5s.	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾

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Begole	1⅛	1¼	Majestic	.15	.17
Bohemia	1⅛	1⅜	Mc.-Dar.	.46	.50
Boston Ely	.15	.20	Mex. Mets.	.14	.17
Butte & L.	.24	.25	Mines of A.	2¼	2⅜
Calaveras	.93	1	N. Baltic	1¼	1½
Chief Con.	.80	.90	Nev. Doug.	.39	.40
Con. Ariz.	.25	.35	Old Dom., trust rcts.	5	5½
Cortez	.15	.30	Ohio Cop.	.12	.15
Crown Res.	.65	.68	Oneco	.65	.80
Davis-Daly	1 1-16	1⅛	So. Lake.	4¼	5
Eagle & B.	.90	1	Stew. Min.	..	1
First Nat.	1	1⅛	Un. Verde.	1⅛	2¼
Gold. Con.	1⅛	1⅜	Yukon	2⅝	2¾
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In view of the appointment of a Receiver for the M. Rumely Company on January 19, 1915, and at the request of holders of a large amount of the preferred stock of said Company the undersigned have consented to act as a committee to represent the interest of the preferred stockholders of said Company.

The New York Trust Company has been appointed Depositary of the Committee to receive deposits of stock and to issue certificates of deposit therefor.

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The Deposit Agreement to be dated February 1, 1915, under which the certificates of stock will be deposited, is now in course of preparation and when completed will be lodged with the Depositary. Stockholders are **urged to deposit their certificates of stock without delay, as the situation calls for prompt action.** New York, February 1, 1915.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership subsisting between THOMAS M. VALLEAU and ELI A. KELLAM under the firm name of T. M. VALLEAU & COMPANY, 243 Canal St., N. Y. City, was dissolved by mutual consent on the First day of February, 1915, so far as relates to said ELI A. KELLAM. All debts due said copartnership and those due by it will be settled with and by the remaining partner THOMAS M. VALLEAU, who will continue the business under the name of T. M. VALLEAU & COMPANY. Notice is also given that MR. JAMES W. QUINN has this day become a member of said firm.
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Good Demand for Wool.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 8,840 bales. The attendance was smaller, but the demand was good, and the market ruled firm, especially on fine crossbreds, which realized 1s. 4½d. Merinos were well absorbed. A few lots of greasy and scoured merinos were taken for America.

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Mail Business Heavy.

A heavy mail business was reported yesterday in the local dry goods market, the head of one of the leading commission houses telling of the best orders in a single day's mail since the outbreak of the war. The demand for goods came from all over the country, and included a wide variety of merchandise. Both jobbers and manufacturers were represented in the buying. Buying of shirtings on the part of the latter was said to be especially encouraging, as orders from the shirtmakers had not been very heavy for some time. Both chambrays and fancies were wanted. Among the other goods for which there was a good call were plaids, ginghams, and domets.

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Large War Contract for Servia.

An order for 200,000 garments is understood to have been placed here by the Servian Government. The two concerns that received the first uniform contract have proved the successful bidders in this case. The price which they submitted on the outfit is reported to be $10.25, the cloth used being sold to them at $1.20 a yard. There is some chance of the contract being held up as a result of action that may be taken by an agent who was given first chance to find a manufacturer to make up the goods. He was successful, it is said, in getting a manufacturer who would make up the order at a satisfactory price, but the order was given out over his head. The weight of the cloth is placed at 26 ounces.

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Going Back for Colors.

The cry for new colors has led the selling agents in the piece goods market to ransack their shelves for old samples. One agent was found yesterday whose desk was littered with samples and camphor. He had gone back to the samples of twenty years ago to see if something could not be found to suit the fancy of his customers. Among the goods he found were coverts in colors closely resembling the shades that are now popular. There was one shade that might have been described as between a sand and a tan color. Green mixture coverts were also found. While the colors unearthed in this manner can be considered in scarcely any other light than that of staples, the change they offer is apt to prove an attractive one to buyers.

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Drop in Gem Imports.

Precious stone imports, which have been falling off notably since the outbreak of the European war, dropped off $885,105 last month, compared with January, 1914, according to a statement issued yesterday by Appraiser Sague. Total imports here last month were valued at $894,032, compared with $1,779,137 in the corresponding month a year ago and $3,899,995 in January, 1913. The phenomenally heavy entries in 1913 were in anticipation of the higher rates of duty carried in the present tariff law. American handlers of gems had not disposed of their huge stocks when hostilities began, and are said to be buying at the present time only when offerings are made at especially attractive prices or to fill special orders.

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Commercial Travelers to Meet.

The annual meeting and election of officers and one-year Directors of the Associated Commercial Travelers of America will be held at the Hotel Imperial next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The first annual dinner of the organization will take place at the same place on Feb. 20. Some prominent speakers have been invited to address the members. The Associated Commercial Travelers have been very successful this year, both in point of increased membership and the work that has been done to improve conditions on the road for salesmen. During the year the association has begun an active campaign against an advance in mileage rates by the railroads, and this movement has been aided by commercial bodies and Boards of Trade in various cities.

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Amoskeag Dress Goods Prices.

Prices were made formally yesterday by the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, through Jarvis & Prankard, selling agents, on its Fall lines of dress goods. The new prices showed advances of a cent and a half a yard on 36-inch goods over the opening Fall figures of a year ago, while on the 50 and 54 inch goods the advances ranged from two and a half to five cents a yard. Most of the advances on the latter widths, however, were two and a half cents a yard. Among the new offerings of the company for Fall is an all-worsted storm serge that has been made especially for the cutting-up trade. It will be offered in a novel width, 56 by 57 inches, and will be priced at 62½ cents net. Other new lines include all-wool panamas in 50 and 54 inch widths, and all-wool vigoureux mixtures 50, 54 and 58 inches wide.

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Much Interest in Serges.

A topic of absorbing interest to both the mills making piece goods and the cutting up trades is the prices at which serges will be opened up for the Fall season. The big company will show lines tomorrow, and the report has been circulating in well informed quarters that considerable advances over last year will be established. How great these increases will be, is more or less a subject of conjecture, as not even those who have seen the goods before the opening are able to say how long the present prices will continue. It seems to be generally understood that, once a certain amount of business has been placed, prices on serges will soar. From 10 to 15 per cent. is the advance which is expected. The familiar number 209½, priced last year at 65 cents, is understood to be selling now for 80 cents, which it is said will be raised another 10 cents at the opening or soon after.

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Openings of Fall Piece Goods.

The line of fancy cloakings for the Fall, 1915, season, which was opened by the American Woolen Company yesterday, met with a very satisfactory reception from the cutting-up trade. Buying was brisk, and there was little comment heard regarding prices, as goods of the sort are now in demand. No satisfactory basis exists for a comparison of this year's prices with those that were made last year. A 10 to 15 per cent. advance is said to have been made, however, on goods selling from 82½ cents to $1.35. The line offers a wide variety of choice. Paterson & Greenough, selling agents for the Waterloo Mills, yesterday opened a line of coverts ranging in price from $1.50 to $2.50 a yard, and also a line of overcoatings, plain and fancy backed, selling from $1.50 to $2.75 a yard, which are being received very favorably by the trade. There were several other openings, but the tendency seems to be to put off naming prices until as late as possible.

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For Australian Trade.

William C. Downs, recently appointed United States Commercial Attaché at Melbourne, Australia, has just completed a tour of manufacturing cities in the Middle West, where he was the guest of Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trades and other organizations. Mr. Downs addressed these associations regarding trade opportunities in Australia and pledged his aid in promoting American trade in his section. The Attaché said yesterday that the manufacturers in the cities visited showed lively interest in the foreign markets. Local manufacturers and exporters interested in the Australian trade may make appointments to meet Mr. Downs by communicating with E. C. Porter, agent in charge of the branch office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce in the Custom House. Mr. Downs leaves this city at the end of the month, and will sail for his new post about the middle of March.

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Gray Goods Prices Firm.

The continued strength of cotton kept gray goods prices firm in this market yesterday, despite the prolonged lack of trading. Bids for future deliveries were fairly numerous, but they were uniformly refused by the mills because they were lower than the sellers thought they should be. Notable among these were bids for large quantities of 39-inch 68-72s, for delivery from April to September, at 4½ cents. While spot goods of this construction could be had yesterday at that figure, the bids in question went begging. Much of the mills' unwillingness to contract ahead is said to be due to their inability to cover themselves on cotton. Contract prices were held a sixteenth to an eighth of a cent higher than the spot prices, which follow:

39-inch, 80-80s	5⅞c	38½-inch, 64-56s	3¾c
39-inch, 72-76s	5⅛c	38½-inch, 60-52s	3⅝c
39-inch, 68-72s	4½c	38½-inch, 60-48s	3¼c
38½-inch, 64-64s	4c	27-inch, 64-60s	2[illegible]c
38½-inch, 64-60s	3⅞c	27-inch. 56-52s	2¼c

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About the Spring Shoe Styles.

Among the new Spring styles in shoes for men are gaiter top effects of the same general style as those for women, they having leather vamp and heel foxings, with tops either of cloth or buckskin. The color combinations include black calfskin vamps and heel foxings with gray tops and mahogany vamps and foxings with putty colored tops. Patent leather effects with cloth tops dominate. Among the new pump oxfords for women are some which have fronts the same height and style as a tightly laced, invisible four-eyelet, regular oxford, but instead of lacing as an oxford, they are slipped on like a pump. The fronts of these are sewed and fastened, so they will not open. Button oxfords are shown for women that are made in every way as the gaiter top boot, with a patent leather vamp and whole quarter of gray kid. The inside quarter laps over the outside and fastens with one button.

Gaiters are now shown that look like the top of a new lace shoe, with lace stays and laces, but are buttoned on like regular gaiters.

FEDERAL RECEIPTS SLUMP.

Expenses of January $8,116,427 More Than Income.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Revenue collected by the Government in January failed by $8,116,427 to meet the month's disbursements. Receipts usually are low at this time of the year. In the preceding January the excess of disbursements was only $4,512,262.

Neither customs nor internal revenue brought in the expected returns. Customs receipts amounted to $16,558,193, compared with $23,528,080 in the same month last year, and $14,890,982 in December, 1914. Ordinary internal revenue receipts were $27,096,155, or less by $5,000,000 than in December, and only about $2,500,000 more than the receipts from the same source in January, 1914, although revenue from the emergency tax was included.

It was pointed out tonight that the estimate of Government revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30 next contemplated internal revenue receipts of $25,000,000 a month and about $7,500,000 a month from the emergency tax, a total almost $5,500,000 in excess of that actually produced in the thirty-day period just finished. Government officials are not ready, however, to predict how much revenue the emergency tax will produce, and are hopeful that other internal revenue receipts will show an increase in the next few months.

The first seven months of the fiscal year show an excess of disbursements over receipts of $70,855,270, compared with a corresponding excess for the same period last year of $17,867,609. At the close of the month the net balance in the Treasury's general fund was $57,020,589 and the total cash assets in the Treasury $1,991,153,159.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The following officers of the Central Mercantile Association, 111 Fifth Avenue, have been elected for 1915: President, Clarkson Cowl; First Vice President, B. J. Greenhut; Second Vice President, T. H. Lamprecht; Third Vice President, G. A. Plimpton; Treasurer, Louis M. Hart; Secretary, J. C. Elms, and Executive Secretary, Joseph E. Kean.

Lewis Frank & Sons, converters of cotton goods, have taken new quarters in the building at 97-99 Prince Street, having removed from 66-72 Leonard Street.

James F. White & Co., 54-56 Worth Street, have been appointed exclusive selling agents, from yesterday on, for the lines of diapers and turkish and huck towels made by the Georgia Cotton Mills of Griffin, Ga. These lines are well known to the dry goods trade of the country. The selling of them will be done by the linen department of White & Co., under the direction of Henry A. Murphy.

Abe H. Harris, late general representative of A. Jacobson & Bro., 160 Fifth Avenue, is now with Schwartz Bros., furriers, 141-145 West Thirty-sixth Street, in a similar capacity.

WOMEN FOR PACKAGE FOOD.

Housewives' League Opposes Committee's Plea for Bulk Goods.

At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Housewives' League yesterday a resolution was adopted protesting against the recommendation of the Mayor's Food Committee that more general use be made of bulk goods. A copy of the resolution was sent to the Mayor last night.

The league's protest was based on the ground that food products are apt to be handled and marketed under better sanitary conditions when sold in containers with the name of the manufacturer stamped plainly upon them than when handled in bulk. This publication of the manufacturer's name, the resolution sets forth, throws open to inspection the factory in which the goods are made and makes him responsible for the quality of his product.

"The use of bulk goods," the resolution adds, "tends to encourage adulteration and unsanitary handling, and nullifies the work accomplished by Federal and State authorities in requiring proper labeling of food products."

Minimum Price Reductions.

The Stock Exchange made these reductions of minimum prices yesterday: American Locomotive preferred, 85 from 90; Ann Arbor, 25 from 30; Baldwin Locomotive, 32 from 35; Cluett Peabody & Co., 58 from 60; Loose-Wiles, 23 from 26; Loose-Wiles first preferred, 98 from 100; Loose-Wiles second preferred, 88 from 90; Norfolk Southern, 23 from 25; Underwood Typewriter, 55 from 60, and United States Express 65 from 71.

FERRIAGE RATES INCREASED.

Team Owners to Appeal to Commerce Board Against the Erie.

A new schedule for ferriage of vehicles across the Hudson River, by which the rates for automobiles, motor trucks, and horse-drawn wagons are approximately doubled, was put into effect on the vessels of the Erie Railroad yesterday against the protest of the Hudson County Team Owners' Association.

According to the new rates, a minimum of 35 cents is charged for a vehicle of 2,000 pounds weight and of a specified length, and the charge is increased for heavier and longer vehicles. The charges, according to those protesting, are not only twice as high as the Erie's former rates, but higher than those of any other railroad.

The men hardest hit by the increase are the owners of milk wagons, and they have voiced the strongest protest through the Team Owners' Association. When the advance was first advertised, the association retained Robert Carey of Jersey City as counsel, and he made the protest to the railroad company, which replied that the new rates, in its opinion, were necessary and just. Mr. Carey announced that he would go to Washington to appeal to the Interstate Commerce Commission today. He first will ask the commission to require the railroad to issue receipts for all fares paid until the question is settled so that, if the railroad loses, the team owners may collect what they have paid in excess of the rates ordered by the commission.

Dismisses Dock Railway Plea.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today dismissed the plea of the New York Dock Railway for compulsory establishment of through routes and joint rates between it, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and other trunk line carriers.

SUES HER RUMELY BROKERS

Says L. F. Rothschild & Co. Got $60,000 by Misrepresentation.

L. F. Rothschild & Co., stockbrokers, were sued yesterday in the Supreme Court by Geraldine Truax for $60,000 which she said the defendants induced her to invest in 500 shares of the common stock of the M. Rumely Company in November, 1912.

The plaintiff paid from $97 to $101 a share for the stock and was told, she said, that it would soon be worth $200. She also said she was warned by the brokers not to say anything about the purchase for a time in order that the value of the stock might not be prematurely increased.

The plaintiff said that the stock never had and never would pay a dividend, and that her investment was the result of misrepresentations.

MUCH LUMBER GOES ABROAD

Heavy Trade Between the South and European Countries.

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 1.—Twenty-two cargoes of lumber were cleared from Mobile for foreign ports during the first sixteen days of January. Large shipments by sailing vessels have been made to Genoa, Italy, and several steamships have carried lumber and timber to the Clyde River. South and Central American countries and Cuba and other West Indian Islands have taken their share.

Lumber dealers are optimistic, seeing a speedy rise in prices.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

ALLENTOWN—Zollinger-Harned Co.; Miss M. C. Weiser, notions, laces; Great Northern.
ALLENTOWN—H. S. Lawfer, carpets; W. F. Curtis, dry goods; Breslin.
ALTOONA, Penn.—Kline Bros.; H. J. Felton, dry goods; J. A. Baird, notions; 214 Church.
ALTOONA—Kline Broos.; J. Scheeline, clothing; 214 Church.
ALTOONA, Penn.—W. F. Gable & Co.; E. S. McGaw, dress goods; 2 Walker.
ASHEVILLE, N. C.—S. Lipinsky, ready to wear; 17 W. 28.
ATLANTA, Ga.—J. M. High Co.; A. Kahanow, dress goods, silks; A. J. Haynie, umbrellas; Miss Deitrich, ready to wear; 353 4 Av.
ATLANTA—E. L. Rhodes Co.; R. A. Beard, hats; 696 Broadway.
AUBURN, Me.—G. R. Hunnewell Fur Co.; G. R. Hunnewell, furs; Murray Hill.
AUGUSTA—M. E. Kelly D. G. Co.; M. E. Kelly, notions, ladies' garments; 39 W. 32d; Gregorian.
AUGUSTA, Ga.—J. B. White & Co.; M. W. Davison, notions, laces, ribbons; 214 Church.
BALTIMORE—Cohn-Coblens Co.; Miss B. Cohn, muslin underwear, infants' wear; Miss G. Moses, representing; 1,195 Broadway.
BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; Miss R. Sperzel, muslin underwear; 220 5th Av.
BALTIMORE—Baltimore Bargain House; F. Quellmalz, dry goods; 354 4th Av.
BALTIMORE—Goldenberg Bros.; Miss K. Baker, muslin underwear; Breslin.
BALTIMORE—L. Lauer, general mdse.; Breslin.
BALTIMORE—Strouss-Baer Co.; M. R. Strouss, rompers, middy blouses; Breslin.
BALTIMORE—Heller & Rothstein; B. Rothstein, clothing; Breslin.
BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; W. G. Weller, domestics; 220 5th Av.; Breslin.
BALTIMORE—Julius Gutman & Co.; E. J. Gutman, ladies' ready-to-wear; McAlpin.
BALTIMORE—Baltimore Bargain House; G. M. Eytinge, ribbons, dress trimmings; 354 4th Av.
BALTIMORE—Cahn-Coblens Co.; Miss Cohen, children's dresses, house dresses, underwear; Miss Moses, waists; 1,199 Broadway.
BALTIMORE—Goldenberg Bros.; J. Wolf, cloaks, suits; Strand.
BATTLE CREEK, Mich.—Golden Rule Syndicate; J. Seaman, general merchandise; D. C. Raphael, cloaks, suits; Strand.
BEAUMONT, Texas—The Fashion Co.; M. Jones, ready to wear; 303 5th Av.; Room 507.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—L. Saks & Co.; L. Saks, ready-to-wear; J. K. Saks, waists; 220 5th Av.
BOSTON—Conrad & Co.; Miss Desmond, ladies' coats; Miss Grojohn, suits; Miss Booz, dresses; Miss Doyle, infants' wear; Miss Garner, misses' coats; Miss Canty, underwear, lawn waists; Miss Adelson, waists; 15 West 26th.
BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; Miss Brock, boys' furnishings; Miss Gilman, children's dresses; Mr. Biederman, ladies' suits; Miss Webb, misses' dreses; Mr. Bennett, men's, boys' hats, caps; 116 W. 32d.
BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; Miss Francis, infants' wear; Miss Bernstein, infants' wear; 432 4th Av.
BOSTON—W. & A. Bacon; Miss Hearn, jobs misses', juniors' ready-to-wear; 31 Union Square.
BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; Miss H. B. Cobham, cloaks, suits; 470 4th Av.
BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; W. H. Mann, domestics; 432 4th Av.
BOSTON—R. H. Stearns & Co.; W. I. Woods, millinery, neckwear, ribbons; 200 5th Av.
BOSTON—R. H. Stearns & Co.; C. W. Conklin, ready to wear; L. S. Root, silks, velvets; W. Finlayson, laces, gloves, hosiery, underwear; 200 5 Av.
BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; Mr. Michael, jewelry; 116 W. 32d.
BOSTON—Grimes Hat Co.; J. J. Donovan, hats; Marlborough.
BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; J. W. Kelly, yarns, embroideries; 432 4th Av.
BOSTON—S. L. Palmer, cloaks, suits; Hoffman House.
BRIDGEPORT—C. Misch; H. W. Walder, ready-to-wear; 33 Union Square.
BRISTOL, Tenn.—H. P. King Co.; H. P. King, ready to wear; 17 W. 28.
BUFFALO—J. N. Adam & Co.; T. Moffatt, hosiery, gloves, furn. goods; B. C. Burlingame, linens; J. J. Sullivan, domestics; J. C. Bies, furs; E. C. Truxes, neckwear, laces; H. J. Ellsworth, dress goods; 18 W. 35th.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Co.; B. S. Chapin, boys' clothing, ready-to-wear; 2 Walker.
BUTLER, Penn.—Mr. J. E. Zimmerman, women's furn. goods; Park Av.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—M. L. Alpert, dry goods; Bwy Central.
CANTON—W. R. Zollinger & Co.; Miss M. Preyer, millinery; sixth floor, 1,270 Broadway.
CHATTANOOGA—Miller Bros. Co.; A. Mathis, notions, laces, ribbons, hosiery, gloves; 39 W. 32d; Gregorian.
CHATTANOOGA—Miller Brothers Co.; S. L. Deakins, linings; J. C. Henderson, clothing, furnishing goods; 39 West 32d.
CHICAGO—The 12th Street Store; C. Mayer, boys' clothing. E. Wurtzburg, dress, wash, silk, linen goods; Miss F. Speck, millinery; Mr. Wiesenfeld, Spring merchandise; Miss E. Herman, muslin underwear, corsets, infants' wear; 1,261 Broadway.
CHICAGO—Marshall Field & Co.; F. C. Brody, wash goods; J. J. Tracy, perfumery; C. Gates, furn. goods; W. R. Bettcher, silks, velvets; 104 Worth.
CHICAGO—Siegel, Cooper Co.; C. Nordquist, upholstery goods; A. Levey, caprets, rugs; C. J. Snell, blankets, bedding; 15 E. 22d.
CHICAGO—Sears, Roebuck & Co.; H. M. Kelso, cotton goods; 438 Broadway; J. Lescheim, laces, ribbons.
CHICAGO—Sturm, Mayer & Co.; S. H. Jenkins, rain coats; Park Av.
CHICAGO—Mandel Bros.; A. W. Mandel, rugs; 15 E. 22d.
CHICAGO—Weiskopf; L. Weiskopf, millinery; Wallick's.
CHICAGO—Emporium World; J. Anderson, millinery; 621 Broadway; Cumberland.
CHICAGO—Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.; W. E. Babcock, shawls, infants' wear, gloves; 115 Worth.
CHICAGO—Montgomery Ward & Co.; A. J. Giron, clothing; 38 W. 25th.
CHICAGO—Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.; J. C. Rogers, dress trimmings, buttons; 115 Worth.
CHICAGO—C. Kaufman & Bros.; A. C. Kaufman, piece goods; 200 5th Av.
CHICAGO—W. C. Fryer & Co.; W. C. Fryer, furn. goods; Marlborough.
CHICAGO—Marshall Field & Co.; D. Griffin, remnants; 104 Worth.
CHICAGO—H. M. Lindenthal & Son; S. C. Lindenthal, boys' clothing; 941 Broadway.
CHICAGO—Kuh, Nathan & Fisher Co.; E. J. Stransky, piece goods; 2 East 23d.
CHICAGO—Monroe Mercantile Co.; E. M. Hammond, general mdse.; Longacre.
CHICAGO—Sol Klein; H. Schurmacher, men's, boys' clothing; H. Bos, dress goods, silks, wash goods; S. Greenblatt, Spring mdse.; Miss M. Speck, millinery; 1,261 Broadway.
CHICAGO—Chas. A. Stevens & Bros.; S. Willard, misses' suits, dresses; 40 E. 22d.
CINCINNATI—Alms & Doepke Co.; Miss Kiefer, waists; 350 B'way.
CINCINNATI—Kline Bros. Co.; Miss E. Schwarz, waists; 95 Madison Av.
CLARKSVILLE—A. Pearson & Co.; A. Pearson, general mdse; 43 W. 27th.
CLEVELAND—May Co.; H. M. Marose, dress goods, silks; A. N. Oldreive, hosiery, gloves, underwear, umbrellas; 37 West 26th.
CLEVELAND—Bailey Co.; H. R. Tyroler, serge, silk drasses; 71 W. 23d.
CLEVELAND—Higbee Co.; C. B. Murray, wash goods; C. O. Schaible, dry goods; 214 Church.
CLEVELAND—Higbee Co.; Miss Hearn, millinery; Miss D. Block, millinery; 214 Church.
CLEVELAND—May Co.; R. J. Montgomery, carpets; 37 W. 26th.
CLEVELAND—Prince, Wolfe & Co.; D. F. Engel, dry goods; 1,133 Broadway.
CLEVELAND—Bailey Co.; D. Hogg, dress goods, silks; 71 W. 23d.
COLUMBUS—F. & R. Lazarus Co.; R. Rodenfels, men's neckwear, jewelry, gloves; Miss K. Burch, ribbons, neckwear; Miss B. Dunlap, muslin underwear, corsets; 220 5th Av.; Collingwood.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—M. J. Federman; K. Melancon, general merchandise; E. Frank, millinery; 72 Madison Av.
CONNELLSVILLE, Penn.—Wright & Metzler Co.; Mr. Wright, Mr. Graham, ready-to-wear; 1,270 Broadway.
DALLAS, Tex.—Titche, Goettinger Co.; M. Goettinger, cloaks, waists; S. Mayer, millinery; Mrs. M. F. Young, ready-to-wear; Miss Binford, waists; H. Hymes, domestics, flannels, blankets; C. W. Bilheimer, hosiery, gloves; 353 4th Av.
DALLAS—Sanger Bros.; Mr. Daniels, representing; 19 E. 24th.
DALLAS—W. A. Green & Co.; Mrs. S. E. Owens, millinery; 39 W. 32d; York.
DANVILLE, Ill.—Royal Cloak and Suit Co.; Mr. Klein, ready-to-wear; 1,133 Broadway.
DAYTON, Ohio—Elder & Johnston Co.; J. E. Dodd, hosiery, underwear; F. Fleischauer, books; 2 Walker.
DAYTON—L. Troxler Co.; L. Troxler, notions, laces, hosiery; 116 W. 32d.
DAYTON—L. Traxler Co.; S. E. Francis, ready-to-wear; 116 W. 32d.
DAYTON, Ohio—Elder & Johnston Co.; R. J. Elder, dry goods; 2 Walker.
DECATUR, Ill.—Linn & Scruggs D. G. and Carpet Co.; C. A. Gille, notions, dress goods, leather goods; 31 Union Squ.
DES MOINES, Iowa—Wilkins Bros. Co.; F. B. Dallas, cloaks, suits, waists, furs; V. A. Wilkins, notions, hosiery, underwear, embroideries, handkerchiefs, toilet goods; 353 4th Av.
DES MOINES—Wilkins Bros. Co.; V. A. Wilkins, notions, hosiery, underwear, hdkfs.; 353 4th Av.; Gregorian.
DES MOINES—Wilkins Bros. Co.; Miss M. McNerney, leather goods, umbrellas; 353 4th Av.
DES MOINES—J. Mandelbaum & Sons; M. Cohen, cloaks, suits, waists; 116 W. 32d.
DES MOINES, Iowa—Younker Bros.; H. M. Metcalfe, ladies' suits, coats, dresses; Miss H. M. Ballard, millinery; 303 5th Av.
DETROIT—J. L. Hudson Co.; C. W. Mayhew, notions; Miss C. Cohen, handkerchiefs; J. B. Weber, handkerchiefs, ladies' neckwear; 50 Union Square.
DETROIT, Mich.—Crowley-Milner Co.; Miss Murphy, laces, embroideries, neckwear; Mr. Tamblyn, ass't mdse. manager; 20 W. 22d.
DETROIT—J. L. Hudson Co.; E. D. Jamieson, boys' clothing; 50 Union Square.
DETROIT—Goldberg Bros.; E. W. Hammell, dress goods, silks; Grand.
DETROIT—E. J. Hickey Co.; Miss Tracy, misses', infants' wear; Breslin.
DETROIT—Tuttle & Clark; J. J. Frazer, horse goods; Breslin.
DULUTH—F. A. Patrick & Co.; H. A. Bentson, domestics flannels, linens, white goods; 43 Leonard.
EL PASO, Tex.—Popular D. G. Co.; Miss Botteroff, ready-to-wear; Miss Stalker, infants' wear; 353 4th Av.
EL PASO—Everybody Dept. Store; Miss E. Barney, millinery; 116 W. 32d.
EVANSVILLE, Ind.—Andres Co.; N. E. Lefebvre, mdse. Mgr.; Miss B. Sherer, ready to wear, muslin underwear, corsets, infants' wear; 1,270 B'way.
FARGO, N. D.—Moody Dry Goods Co.; A. L. Moody, general merchandise; M. D. Train, ready to wear; Park Av.
FRESNO, Cal.—Rodin & Kamp; J. Conners, ladies' ready-to-wear, millinery; I. D. Magnes, representing; 3 W. 29th.
FORT SMITH, Ark.—Boston Store D. G. Co.; M. B. Becker, furn. goods; H. Kaufman, dry goods, infant's wear; Miss Leftivich, ready to wear; 353 4 Av.
FORT SMITH, Ark.—Boston Store D. G. Co.; Mrs. K. Funk, millinery; 71 W. 23d.
FORT WAYNE, Ind.—Wolf & Dessauer; Miss Bellamy, ready-to-wear; H. H. Grottendink, cloaks, suits; 315 4th Av.
FORT WORTH, Texas—H. C. Meacham Co.; F. Moorman, ready to wear; 353 4 Av.
GALESBURG, Ill.—N. P. Nelson D. G. Co.; J. Olson, dry goods; Latham.
GALESBURG Ill.; Bondi Bros. & Co.; I. I. Bondi, cloaks, suits; Woodstock.
GASTONIA, N. C.—B. S. Kassel, ready-to-wear; 15 E. 26th; Hermitage.
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Herpolsheimer Co.; H. J. Goodman, silks, dress goods; D. Hamaker, domestics; 1,170 Broadway.
GREENVILLE, S. C.; A. Meyers Co.; M. Meyers, ready-to-wear; 17 W. 28th.
HANNIBAL, Mo.—"Reib's"; E. S. Reib, ready-to-wear; 353 4th Av.
HATTIESBURG, Miss.—Davidson Co.; L. L. Mullinix, general mdse.; 1,133 Broadway; Gregorian.
HARTFORD, Conn.—Brown, Thomson & Co.; S. Stern, muslin underwear, corsets, toilet goods; 2 Walker.
HENDERSON, Ky.; Frenkel's; C. A. Henderson, ready-to-wear; 39 W. 32d.
HAZLETON, Penn.—P. Diesroth's Sons; Miss F. A. Wear, waists, muslin underwear, infants' wear, corsets; 116 W. 37th.
HARTFORD—Brown, Thompson & Co.; Miss Kennedy, millinery; 2 Walker.
HILLSBORO, Texas—Golden Rule Syndicate; W. F. Sims, general merchandise; Strand.
HOUSTON, Texas—McCardell & Sauer; J. McCardell, ready-to-wear, millinery; 41 Union Square; Arlington.
HUNTINGTON, W. Va.; Watts, Ritter & Co.; C. W. Watts, dry goods; 43 Leonard.
HUNTINGTON, W. Va.—Croft, Stanard Co.; O. L. Stanard, ready-to-wear; 258 Church.
INDIANAPOLIS—H. P. Wasson & Co.; F. R. Wolf, mdse. mgr.; Miss C. Grauman, ready-to-wear; Miss Mansfield, children's, juniors' ready-to-wear; 71 W. 23d.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—L. S. Ayres & Co.; C. P. Walmsly, ready to wear; Miss E. C. Massey, millinery; 1,270 B'way.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Pettis D. G. Co.; W. H. Walter, millinery; Mr. Beasley, ready to wear; 2 Walker.
INDIANAPOLIS—Havens & Geddes Co.; L. P. Goebel, dress goods, silks, linens, white goods; 72 Leonard.
INDIANAPOLIS—H. P. Wasson & Co.; F. Chicoine, women's, children's underwear hosiery, men's furn. goods; 71 W. 23d.
INDEPENDENCE—Halsey Bros. D. G. Co.; T. A. Thomas, dry goods; Great Northern.
IRONWOOD, Mich.—Golden Rule Syndicate; C. Seaman, general merchandise; Strand.
JACKSONVILLE—Kohn-Turchgott Co.; M. Marks, toys; 108 Worth.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—Cohen Bros.; Miss Cabannis, cloaks, suits, waists; 225 4th Av.
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Emery-Bird-Thayer Dry Goods Co.; Miss Jones, skirts; 25 Madison Av.
KANSAS CITY—G. Bernheimer, Bros & Co.; J. H. Minturn, dresses, coats, suits; 72 W. 22d.
KANSAS CITY—John Taylor Dry Goods Co.; B. Pettibone, silks; 200 5th Av.; Hoffman House.
KANSAS CITY—John Taylor Dry Goods Co.; C. Smith, waists; 200 5th Av.
KENOSHA, Wis.—Barden Store Co.; H. V. Barden, women's, children's wear, millinery; Hoffman House.
KEWANEE, Ill.; Bondi Bros. & Co.; A. Hess, cloaks, suits; Woodstock.
KINGSTON—H. Carl D. G. Co.; A. E. Rose, general mdse.; V. A. Gorman, house furn. goods; Breslin.
KOKOMO, Ind.—Thalman & Levi; J. Frankenthal; cloaks, suits, waists; S. Thalman, notions; 315 4th Av.
LAFAYETTE, Ind.; Fashion Cloak and Suit Co.; D. B. Fishman, ready-to-wear; 1,133 Broadway.
LIMA, Ohio—M. J. Federman; Mrs. Dahlgreen, ready-to-wear; 72 Madison Av.
LINCOLN, Neb.—Miller & Paine; G. Watkins, domestics, flannels, blankets; 2 Walker.
LINCOLN, Ill.—Walker-Gullett Shoe Co.; W. J. Gullett, shoes; Hoffman House.
LOS ANGELES—A. Tusenot Co.; Miss E. M. MacCleod, corsets; 200 5th Av.
LOS ANGELES—A. Hamburger & Sons; C. J. McGuire, domestics, flannels, white goods; 215 4th Av.
LOUISVILLE—J. M. Robinson-Norton Co.; G. P. Walton, hosiery, underwear, knit goods, mfg. dept., muslin underwear; 72 Leonard.
LOUISVILLE, Ky.—J. Bacon & Sons; Miss T. Kling, linings, notions; 214 Church; Prince George.
LOUISVILLE, Ky.; Carter D. G. Co.; G. Krazaise, notions, fancy goods, stationery, dolls, toys; 43 Leonard.
MADISONVILLE, Ky.—McCleod Store; J. A. Mills, cloaks, suits, dresses; Navarre.
MATOON, Ill.; Bower & Schulhoff Co.; A. Bower, cloaks, suits; Woodstock.
MARINETTA, Wis.—Lauerman Bros. Co.; L. J. Plouff, coats, suits; 470 4th Av.
MARQUETTE, Mich.—Golden Rule Syndicate; S. D. Cohen, general merchandise; Strand.
MEMPHIS—B. Lowenstein & Bros.; J. A. Moss, wash goods, linings; G. J. Woods, hdkf's, laces, embroideries, ribbons, ladies' neckwear; 22 E. 17th.
MEMPHIS, Tenn.—Levy & Greif; D. Greif, dry goods; Herald Square.
MEMPHIS—J. Summerfield; H. H. Samuels, millinery, veilings; Woodstock.
MEMPHIS—Summerfield; H. J. Summerfield, millinery; 13 E. 22d.
MEMPHIS—Bry-Block Merc. Co.; I. H. Weil, waists; H. G. Landres, suits, dresses; 353 4th Av.
MIDDLETOWN, Conn.—J. H. Bunce Co.; R. H. Burr, dry goods; 75 Spring.
MILWAUKEE, Wis. Herzfeld-Phillipson Co.; J. J. McDonough, linens, white goods; J. Lowenstein, jobs, bargain basement; 31 Union Sq.
MILWAUKEE—E. Schuster & Co.; G. Greenblatt, ready-to-wear; 116 W. 32d.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Minneapolis Dry Goods Co.; G. A. Bissoniere, coats, suits, waists; Miss B. G. Hogan, coats, suits, dresses; 432 4th Av.
MINNEAPOLIS—Powers Mercantile Co.; Mrs. G. S. Fisher, waists, petticoats, infants' wear; 214 Church; Cumberland.
MINNEAPOLIS—Bannon & Co.; F. W. Rowland, cloaks, notions, furnishing goods; Herald Square.
MINNEAPOLIS—Minneapolis Dry Goods Co.; Miss G. Hogan, cloaks, suits; 432 4th Av.
MISSOULA, Mon.—Missoula Mercantile Co.; C. H. Putney, gloves, dress goods, silks, laces, hosiery; Marie Antoinette.
MONTGOMERY, Ala.—A. Nachman; M. Marcus, ready to wear; 15 E. 22d.
MOUNT STERLING, Ky.—Rogers Co.; J. S. Samuel, J. Y. Rogers, ready-to-wear; Breslin.
MUSKEEGON, Mich.—Golden Rule Syndicate; S. L. Seaman, general merchandise; Strand.
NEW BEDFORD—Steiger, Dudgeon Co.; J. A. Dauphanias, dress goods, silks; Miss Ouimet, fancy goods; 105 Grand; Grand.
NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Shartenberg & Robinson; M. J. Alderidge, toilet, leather goods; O. C. Herman, rugs, carpets; 75 Spring.
NEW ORLEANS, La.; B. Cohn Co.; A. Schwartz, cloaks, suits, underwear; 353 4 Av.
NEW ORLEANS—May & Ellis Co.; C. H. Ellis, laces; 72 Leonard.
NEW ORLEANS, La.—Krauss Co.; H. Blatnikoff, millinery; 43 Leonard.
NORFOLK—Miller, Rhoads & Swartz; Miss A. Petar, cloaks, suits; Mr. Young, knit, muslin underwear, infants' wear; 1,270 Broadway.
NORFOLK—Watt, Rettew & Clay; Mrs. M. Credle, infants' wear; 214 Church; Gregorian.
NOFOLK—D. Samuels, dry goods; Herald Square.
NORFOLK—Miller, Rhoades & Sevartz; C. W. Neyhard, house furn. goods, china; 320 Church.
NORWICH—Porteous & Mitchell Co.; L. R. Porteous, ready-to-wear, infants' wear; 432 4th Av.; Algonquin.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Kerr Dry Goods Co.; E. E. Rewick, handkerchiefs, ribbons, leather goods; F. S. Baird, housefurnishing goods, trunks, bags; 39 W. 32d.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Scott-Halliburton Co.; Miss L. B. Hayden, millinery; 13 E. 22d.
OMAHA—Nebraska Clothing Co.; S. Hertzberg, ready-to-wear; sixth floor, 1,270 Broadway.
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IGNORE THE ORDERS OF SERVICE BOARD

Penalties Are Not Enforced Against Companies, Secretary Whitney Testifies.

DOESN'T SEE COMPLAINTS

These Are Handled by Inspectors and the Board Is Not Consulted, Legislative Committee Hears.

The methods of regulation followed by the Public Service Commission, the steps it took to see that its orders were obeyed by the companies, and the disposition of the 8,000 complaints which have been received by it from citizens in the last five years were considered yesterday at the hearing in the City Hall of the Legislative Investigating Committee. From Travis H. Whitney, the Secretary of the commission, and George F. Daggett, head of its complaint bureau, Col. William Hayward learned that it was not the custom of the Commissioners to pay attention either to the extent of a company's obedience to orders of the commission or to the complaints sent in to the commission.

Moreover, Mr. Whitney admitted that these orders had been violated, and he did not contradict counsel's statement that only three times had the commission had recourse to its statutory powers of inflicting fines up to $5,000 a day. He had never heard, he said, that any of the Commissioners had called the action of the companies to the attention of the District Attorneys of the counties within the city. Col. Hayward had considerable difficulty in getting this information from Mr. Whitney. The witness declined altogether to reply to some of the questions, as they were based merely on deductions, he said, and not on facts.

Col. Hyward, as soon as Mr. Whitney was recalled to the stand yesterday, read part of Gov. Hughes's message to the Legislature, in which, in recommending the appointment of a commission, he insisted on the regulatory side of its work. Col. Hayward followed this up by placing on the record the sections of the law making this kind of work obligatory on the commission.

Admits Orders Are Violated.

"Do you know of any time after the first six months of the existence of the commission when there was not a violation of at least one order?" he was asked.

"I can't answer that," replied Mr. Whitney.

"What about the present time?"

"At present orders are being violated and actions have been taken to enforce them."

"What kind of actions?"

"Mandamus proceedings."

Mr. Whitney said that a good many violations had been put in the hands of attorneys to see if any action could be taken, and this brought out the fact that the Commissioners themselves might not know of the violations. Inspectors were suppesod to report on them. This opened a new line of attack to Col. Hayward.

"Don't yon know orders are being violated with impunity and that there are hundreds of Inspectors' reports to that effect on file?" he was asked.

"I can't say," said the secretary.

"Then you are spending $125,000 to check up orders which are being violated?" put in Senator Mills.

"That amount is being spent," Mr. Whitney admitted.

"Has any Commissioner or other person connected with him called the attention of the District Attorneys to these violations?" asked counsel.

"I never head of it," answered Mr. Whitney.

It seemed to Chairman Thompson evidently that Mr. Whitney was trying to escape answering counsel directly and he bade him sharply to be more communicative. It was then ascertained that the commission had instituted 25 or 30 penalty actions, but Mr. Whitney would not say that more than three had come to a definite determination. A number, he said, had been discontinued when the company complied with the orders.

"Is it the custom," asked Col. Hayward, "for officials of corporations to come down and talk it over with one of the Commissioners?"

"It may have happened," said the witness.

"Weren't the orders modified after that?"

"Not unless written requests were made."

"Has it not often happened that the Commissioners after such a private conference have notified the officials that the case would be dropped?"

"It has happened."

Inspectors Handle Complaints.

Then it was shown that many of the complaints sent in by citizens were considered only by the Inspectors, Mr. Whitney and Mr. Daggett, of the Complaint Bureau.

"Has the commission direct supervision over you and Mr. Daggett?"

"Supervision or confidence in us?" retorted Mr. Whitney. Asked if any Commissioner had ever taken notice of the informal complaints, that is, those not made the basis of a regular proceeding, he said that Commissioner Wood has a daily list sent to him and might tell him or Mr. Daggett that a complaint was well founded or that the railroad was in a position to remedy some other one.

"I could not say whether he had spoken to the officials of the companies before he spoke to me," said Mr. Whitney. "He has on occasions said he would take a matter up with the officials."

Col. Hayward then wanted to know if the Commissioners had ever suggested that Mr. Whitney had been too severe on a company. This led to some sharp passages between the counsel and the witness. Chairman Thompson rebuked Mr. Whitney again, and Mr. Whitney replied that Col. Hayward's questions compelled him to draw conclusions.

It was brought out then that the Commissioners had at times sent for Mr. Whitney to discuss specific complaints, and that in the case of some of these the company had conferred with the Commissioners. But the witness would not admit that as a consequence he had been ordered to drop a complaint.

"I should act," he said, "in accordance with the facts that the Commissioner told me or with what the corporation promised to do," was as far as Mr. Whitney would go. Then, when he said that no Commissioner had ever criticised the severity of his language toward the corporations, Col. Hayward asked sarcastically:

"Did they ever suggest that your language was too indulgent?"

Mr. Whitney said that necessarily the judgment of a Commissioner was superior to that of the Secretary, but Col. Hayward persisted.

"Did they ever let you know they were not pleased with the way you were getting after the companies?" he asked.

"I never noticed any display of emotion on their part," was the answer

Col. Hayward then asked this question of the witness:

"I have noticed Mr. Guest and other persons coming to you from the front seat, where Commissioner Williams sits. Have you established a line of communication between you?"

"Mr. Guest is just bringing me some data, as you agreed he might," the witness replied.

"Anything besides data?" asked counsel.

"One or two bright ideas," replied Mr. Whitney, looking bored.

Here Chairman Thompson temporarily excused Mr. Whitney and he left the witness chair with the question:

"Am I still innocent, Mr. Chairman?"

George F. Daggett, in whose direct charge all the informal complaints have been, was called to testify next, and when he was asked what influence the Commissioners exerted on his action, replied:

"I should say none, except in so far as I have gathered information from the way in which the commission has treated matters formally before it and such informal complaints as might reach it. In the last two years I may have conferred six times with Commissioners.

Chairman McCall and Commissioner Williams, the witness said, had sometimes sent instructions to him, and he was inclined to think it was after they had conferred with representatives of the companies against which complaints had been made. He had never been asked to tone down his letters to the companies, though, he asserted.

"You have been twenty-four years in the Post Office Inspectors' Department and with the commission," said Col. Hayward. "In the light of that experience how do you think the commission handles complaints?"

"They are handled more efficiently and receive more care and result in more insistent demands for redress than I have ever known," was the answer.

Long Delay on Complaints.

Col. Hayward then produced the record of a complaint made by Edward A. Spillane of 1,561 Third Avenue concerning a noisy switch on the Third Avenue line between Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth Streets. It was sent in on Aug. 21, and the file showed a long correspondence, in which the last letter, dated Jan. 23, said that the new switch, which was to be installed, was still in the storeroom of the company, and that conditions had not been materially altered.

"Yet according to the complaint," commented Col. Hayward, "the nuisance was so great that people were moving from the neighborhood."

To this Mr. Daggett replied that this case was not typical of the work achieved by his bureau, and if the complaint was remedied by the installation of a new switch it would be better than if a formal court case was made of it.

His explanation of this was that a complaint concerning noise came dangerously near the line drawn by the Court of Appeals in the so-called New Haven Manure Case. That decision held that certain questions were in the province of the Department of Health, and the company might have made that point in the question of the noisy switch.

"Would it not have been kind to tell the complainant," asked Col. Hayward, "to go to the Department of Health?"

"Yes, if foresight had been as good as hindsight. Perhaps we should have stated the case to the commission for a regular test," the witness replied.

This brought up the question of how far individual Commissioners bothered themselves with these informal complaints, of which it was testified there had been 8,716 in the last six years, 1,719 in 1910, 1,408 in 1911, 1,302 in 1912, 1,586 in 1913, and 1,633 in 1914.

"Was there any reason why a Commissioner with a little spare time could not look into your office, and pick out some of these complaints?" asked Col. Hayward.

Mr. Daggett did not know why this should not be done, and explained that making a formal case from an informal complaint was practically left to the discretion of himself, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Wilder, and Mr. Whitney.

Col. Hayward brought out the fact that complaints concerning the inadequacy of the street car service of the B. R. T. had numbered 470 in 1911, 333 in 1912, and 548 in 1913, of which, in Mr. Daggett's estimation, one-third were meritorious, while the others were either unfounded or could not be remedied. All these had been taken together in a hearing conducted by Commissioner Williams, and in this connection Col. Hayward asked:

"Do you know what the real reason was why the commission began that hearing? Was it not because of an impertinent letter from Mr. Calderwood, an official of the B. R. T.?"

"It had something to do with it," said the witness.

The last hearing in this proceeding, it appeared, was held on April 24, and it was then discontinued until it was merged in another begun on Nov. 10, which is still in progress.

"Now, don't you think that the companies are putting it over the commission?" the counsel asked.

Mr. Daggett refused to answer.

Of the 8,716 complaints it appeared than on 2,201 no action was taken; 1,342 were found to have no foundation, 230 were dismissed through default of the complainant, 1,338 were covered by a formal order, and 312 were not in the commission's jurisdiction.

The committee adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, as its members will be in Albany today.

COURT CALENDARS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.

(<) This character means *versus* or *against*.

FEDERAL.

Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Ralph Barnett and Morris Jablow of New York City were admitted to practice.

423—Ill. Cent. R. R. v. C. L. Defuentes.—Decree reversed, with costs and cause remanded.

369—Wilmington Trans. Co. v. Railroad Commission of Calif.—Judgment aff., with costs.

136—Grant Timber & Mfg. Co. v. G. W. Gray.—Judgment aff., with costs.

141—E. Gallardo Y. Seary v. J. R. Noble.—Decree reversed, with costs and cause remanded.

628—U. S. v. Clara Holte.—Judg. reversed and cause remanded.

Original—Ex parte in matter of J. J. Fletcher et al., petitioners.—Motion to file petition for habeas corpus writ denied.

568—Chicago & Alton R. R. v. U. S.—Motion to reassign granted and case set for hearing April 5 next.

536—Chun Kim v. S. W. Backus, Com'r.—Ordered on summary docket.

685—T. W. Morgan, Warden, &c., v. A. J. Devine.—Assigned for argument April 5 next.

736—G. Ebeling v. T. W. Morgan.—Assigned for Argument April 5.

748—U. S. v. William Rabinowich.—Assigned for April 5.

759—Yazoo & Miss. Valley R. R. v. U. S.—Motion to advance and assign for hearing after No. 568 granted.

775—Leo M. Frank v. C. W. Mangum, Sheriff.—Motion to advance granted and case assigned for argument Feb. 23 next.

679—Oregon & Calif. R. R. v. U. S.—Petition for writ of certiorari granted.

782—Goshen Mfg. Co. v. H. A. Myers Mfg. Co.—Petition for writ of certiorari granted.

785—U. S. v. N. Y. & Oriental Steamship Co., Ltd.—Petition for writ of certiorari granted.

744—Alexander Eccles & Co. v. L. & N. R. R.—Petition for writ of certiorari denied.

766—Houston & Texas Central R. R. v. U. S.—Petition for writ of certiorari denied.

781—A. C. Buzby v. Keystone Oil & Mfg. Co.—Petition for writ of certiorari denied.

712—F. W. Ellis v. Interstate Commerce Commission.—Motion to advance submitted.

757—Internat. Harvester Co. of N. J. v. U. S.—Motion to advance submitted.

480—Paine Lumber Co. v. E. N. Neal.—Motion to advance submitted.

798—C. T. Dunbar v. Orleans-Kenner Elec. R. R.—Petition for writ of certiorari submitted.

763—Lewis, Leonhart & Co. v. Southern R. R.—Petition for writ of certiorari submitted.

501—Jones Nat'l Bank v. C. E. Yates et al.; 502—Bank of Staplehurst v. Same; 503—Utica Bank v. Same; 504—T. Bailey v. Same.—Motion to reassign for argument April 5 submitted.

149—Wm. McCoch, Collector, &c., v. D. F. Pratt.—Leave granted to file supplemental brief for respondents.

275—Elias Roberts v. William Underwood.—Motion to advance for hearing with No. 199 submitted.

797—Boston Elevated R. R. v. Paul Boyton Co.—Petition for writ of certiorari submitted.

768—Pacific Mail Steamship Co. v. Ed. Schmidt.—Petition for writ of certiorari submitted.

788—City of Phila. v. Welsbach Street Lighting Co. of America.—Petition for writ of certiorari submitted.

Adjourned until Feb. 23.

Call for Feb. 23: Nos. 643, 669, 509, 559, 710, 715, 536, 501 (and 502, 503, and 504,) 676, 678, 280, 673, 594, and 775.

Order.—It is ordered by the court that the cases heretofore placed on summary docket, viz: No. 643, 669, 509, 559, 710, 715, and 536 be assigned for argument Feb. 23 next at the head of the call for that day.

COURT OF APPEALS—Lacombe, Coxe, Ward, Rogers, JJ.—At 10:30 A. M., Room 433, P. O. Bldg.

Bentley<Tibbals.
Peelee Co<Raskin.
Bush & Lane Piano<Becker Bros.
Re R & W Skirt Co.
Re Daimler Import.
Greenwald<La Vogue Petticoat.
Merrell-Soule<Powd Milk.
Same<Nat Dry Milk Co, (3 acts.)
Rabinowitz<US. Lines<Atlantic Transp

Southern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Learned Hand, J.—Room 337, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Jury calendar.

Am Hay<Leh Val RR
Curtis<Jones.
Same<Allen.
Murray<Allen.
Leslie<Int Mer Mar.
Raynor<NY, NH RR.
Hildreth<same.
Halvorsen<Penn RR.
Brown<C, C, C, &c RR, (2 acts.)
Ramm<Schwartz.
Corbett<NY, NH & H RR.
Jennings<same.
Kennedy<Pitts Con.
US LithoCo<Weis.
Foley<Martin.
Noat<Int Merc Mar.
Kleist<Breitung.
Doyle<Boston & M RR
Petrosino<MacCorry.
Culver<Oceanic S Nav
Jensen<same.
US Trans Adv<Pouty.
Murphy<NY C & H R RR.
Marshall<D,L & W RR
Beath<Silverstein.
Ennis<Fed Ins Co.
Walsh<Penn RR.

DISTRICT COURT—Augustus N. Hand, J.—Woolworth Bldg., 12th Floor, at 10:30 A. M. Equity calendar.

Finch<Moore.
Finch<Richardson.
Gross<Vianties.
Gross<Brown.
Lazell<E H Horwood & Co.
Gustin<McGowan-Silsbee Litho Co.

DISTRICT COURT — Hunt, J.—Woolworth Bldg., 12th Floor, at 10:30 A. M. Equity calendar.

Waring<US Cloth CutMach Co.

DISTRICT COURT—Hough, J.—12th Floor, Woolworth Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Admiralty.

Owners' Stake Boat Argent (limitation liability.)
Harris<Strauss.
Dailey<Emp Engineering Co.
NYC RR<SS Satilla, &c.
Cody<Tug Brinton.
Taylor Dredg Co<Schr Perry Setzer.
Vierow Tow. Line<Ferrybt Binghamton.
Scott<Schr B H Warford, &c.
Anderson<Staples Transp Co.
Cresc Sand & G Co<SS Thames.
O'Rourke<Pattison & Bowne.
L V Transp Co<Tug Ed Annan, &c.
Flannery<Tugs Gerry and Pliny Fisk.
Blasius<Tug Dan Willard.
Jacobson<CNY.
Clinton Point Stone Co<Tug Milton, &c.
Murray Ltge Co<Tug N Y Central No. 2.
Ely<Tug NYC 3.
Baker<Dean & Whitehead Bros.
Balaban<Ferrybt Suffern.
Sizer<Clyde SS Co.
Fox<Scow Sea Foam.

DISTRICT COURT—Hollister, J.—Room 227, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Jury calendar.

Fowler<Penna RR.
Louisiana Coop Co<Llera.

Note.—Cases to be sent from Room 337 as required.

DISTRICT COURT—Thomas J—P. O. Bldg. At 10:30 A. M. Jury calendar.

Fox<Magee.
Van Blarcom<Strong.
U S<Trachy.

Eastern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield J—Equity calendar for Wednesday.

Marconi Wire Tel Co<Atl Com Co.
U S Column Co<Benham Column Co.
Lovell<McConnell Mfg Co<Bindrim.
Marconi Wire Tel Co<Lowenstein.
Rubes<El Spark Co.
U S for use and benefit of Rennolds<NY State Con Co.
Mergenthaler Lno Co<Int Typesetting Co.
Camden Curtain Co<Druckerman.
Batdorf<Stand C Counter Co.
Schmidtmann<Atl Phosp Oil Corp.
Astor Tr Co<same.

STATE.

Court of Appeals.

DAY CALENDAR.

Title Guar & T<Haven
Wilson<Rosenthal.
Daymon<Westchr St RR.
Adams Laundry Mach Co<Prunier.
City Corning<NY Cent
Ketcham<Stewart et al.
Standard Mill Co<Depass et al.
Grennell<Greater NY Develop Co.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Ingraham, P. J.; McLaughlin, Laughlin, Clarke, and Scott, JJ.—Enumerated motions at 2 P. M.

Donohue<CNY.
McGowan<O'Brien Const Co.
Meighan<Rose.
Winterer<Baechtold.
Harmon<Prentice.
Ernst<Term C H Assn
Fay<Purcell.
Met Trust Co<Stallo.
Gavrilutz<Savage.
Stadler<J Everard Br.
Famobrosis Socy<Royal Benev Socy.
Clark<Coler.
78th St & B'way Co<Pursell Mfg Co.
Jennings<McNulty Brothers.
McLaughlin<N Y Rys
Cohen<McNulty.
In re Delancey St, (Herrmann.)
Blau<CNY.
Carnegie Tr Co<Kress.
Simpson<Kumpf.

APPELLATE TERM—Guy, Pendleton, and Shearn, JJ.—For hearing of appeals from the City and Municipal Courts.

SPECIAL TERMS—Part I.—Page, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Atkinson<Atkinson.
Ottinger<Bennett.
Smith<Bk for Saving.
Gallagher<Pierce Co.
Oranecy<P & R Ry.
Tisdall<US Safe Dep.
Wendover<Bennett Typewriter Co.
Dudley<Dudley.
NY Trans SS<Crossing
Fischler<Fischler.
Re Wilkinson.
Kemp<F E Hatch, (2.)
Connett<Goodwin, G S & G Corp.
Fantel<Strauss.
Bahrenburg<Bahrenburg.
Baldwin<Rafferty.
Moushekian<Knight.
Tannenbaum<Berg.
Cohen<Asper Co.
Mott<James.
Lowe<Leary.
Leary<Leary.
Am Nat Bk of Nash, Tenn<Griffenhagen.
Canavan Bros<Elkan Rty.
Margolius<Kotok.
Re Jagocki.
Corbin<Corbin.
Mech Bk & Tr Co<Met Trust Co.
White<Halpin.
Crocker<McDougald.
Re Tucker & Carter Rope Co.
Re Bohne McLaughlin Co.
Burke<Little Italy Rty
Sherman<De Ryther.
Chernev<Van Demark
Re Bierman.
Re Divisek.
Re Eudody.
Re Henderson.
Re McCarthy.
Re Power.
Re Robinson.
Re Tezak.
Wagner<Larkin T Rty Co, (2.)
Dupay<Galbina.
Levy<NY Trust Co.
Saltz<Maistre.
Joseph<Herzig.
Asinonsky<Rosenberg.
Equit Tr Co<Barrett.
Tuckerman<Sancon Rty Co.
Re Kazimirsky.
Hoenel Sand Mach Co<Hoenel.
Re SNY by Hasbrouck (Emp State Surety.)
Levinson<Levinson.
Beckerle<Beckerle.
Schwartz<Int R T.
Hopf<Markowitz Co.
Re O'Donnell Barry.
Farmer<Keller & B.
Re Int Supply Co.
Scherer<Jacobs.
Knobler<Gerstle.
Horowitz<Smith.
Schiff<Lenane.
Lang<Washburn Wire.
Schiff<Lenane.
Weinberger<Goldsmith
De Levante<Int R T.
Hennessy<same
Handler<same.
Egarian<same.
Armstrong<same.
Meyrson<same.
Atkinson<Nat Nas Bk.
Goldman<Bodine.
Buck<Silberman.
Williamson<CNY.
M G Babcock Co<Goodwin.
Coddington<Byron.
Lindstrom<Nassau RR
Scandore<Scandore.
Raftery<Olson.
Re Abramowitch.
Donohue<County of Essex, (4.)
Breen<same.
Walker<Post Tr Serv.
Cooper<Cooper.
Velleman<S Blumenthal Co.
Bisantz<Mescia.
Weingraf<Pye.
Pelzman<Glick.
Berkman<Berkman.
Re Leserman, (Gins-
James<James.
burg.)
Mainzer<L J. Kreshover.
Lamport<Smedley.
Weinerman<Verran, (2)
Crandell<Du Vivier.
Walker<Post Tr Serv.
Katz<Katz.
Re Crawford R E & Bldg Co.
Smith<Hirshon.
Canaday<Arch Amuze.
Schmucker<Bandler.
Lorenz<Lorenz.
Jacobson<Jacobson.
L I Linoleum Mill<S I Linoleum Co.
Re Voron & Chait.
Re Michael, (Wright.)
Re Borowsky, (Flanenhaft.)

PART II.—Cohalan, J.—Ex parte business—At 10:30 A. M.

PART III.—Davis, J.—At 10:15 A. M.

Motions:
Canter<Spitzer.
In re W 238 & W 239 Sts.
Goldmuntz<Spitzel.
McGill<Krausch.
Ungerer<Ungerer.
Bernheimer<Salomon.
Isaacs<same.
Hamilton<Lincoln (2.)
Preferred case:
Greenwich Sav Bk<Strauss.
General calendar:
Bonagur<De Lyons.
Empire A B Co<Hennessy Rty Co.
Gould<Gould.
Am Cap Fronts Mfg<Klein.
McCluney<McCluney.
Cross<Waldowsky.
Reinhart<Shea.
Wittcoff<Oltarsh Ir W
Avchen<Brunin & C.
Poble<Poble.
Brick<Corly.
Mendelsohn<Ice Mfg.
Negri<Negri.
Bechtold<Seip.
Howland<Bristol.
Gordon<Gordon.
Yukelson<Yukelson.
Urban Concrete<CNY.
Colt<Colt.
Shortell<Wood-Harmon & Co.
Netzler<Netzler.
Guaranty Tr Co<Ward
Sandzik<Sandzik.
Murphy<Martin.
Ahearn<Bowery Sav Bk.
Thompson<Thompson.
Davidson<Buchanan.
Bi-State Rty Co<Deutsch.
Clear.

PART IV.—Erlanger J., case on; V., Ford, J., case on; VII., Gavegan, J., case on

PART VIII—Blanchard J. Case on.

PART VI.—Platzek, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Certiorari case.

Hunnewell, &c,<Purdy et al.
Case on.

TRIAL TERMS—Part II.—Bijur, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Mulcahey & Gibson<Nat Surety.
Glass<Glass.
Pappas<Machall.
Re O'Brien.
Badt<Longobardi.
Magee Carpent Co<B P Caster Co.
Case on.

PART III.—Hendrick, J. At 10:30 A. M.

Kroenke<Johnson.
Daimler<Johnson.
Dillon<CNY.
Solomon<Man & Q Traction Co.
K Hayden<H C & A I Piercy Cont Co.
J B Hayden<same.
Efron<Cons Tel & Elec Subway Co.
Schmelzer<N Y Title Ins Co.
Frankel<Brussel.
Berkowitz<CNY.
Tannenbaum<CNY.
Kugelmas<CNY.
Adolph<Rump.
Dougherty<Carswell.
Beher<Berger.
A Zaffola<CNY.
V Zaffola<same.
Norton<White Hod Elevator Co.
Horowitz<Bosner.
Case on.

PART IV.—Whitmyer, J. At 10:30 A. M.

Kakete<Man Top & Body Co.
Kehoe<C I & B RR.
Neumann<N Y Rys.
Hurwitz<same.
Smith<CNY & Whitridge.
Jones<Zeman.
Jacobs<CNY.
Bremer<N Y Rys.
Case on.

PART V.—Philbin, J. At 10:30 A. M.

Inq.: Scalici<Underhill
Rosenblum<NY Rys.
Rosenblum<same.
Timlin<I R T.
Teletti<Regan.
Maleden<Victor.
Gorelert<Bkln H RR.
Ford<Wanamaker.
Goodson<CNY.
Clear.

PART VI.—Whitaker, J. At 10:30 A. M.

Rogers<Knick Ice Co.
Evans<De Mayo (2 acts.)
Langen<CNY.
Joel<same.
Dicks<same.
Safferan<same.
Conolly<Conroy.
Conroy<Grapel.
Halpern<Margulies.
Buchholtz<Bradley Cont Co.
Costello<Paton.
Fischer<CNY.
Cramer<Hasbach, (2 acts.)
Helden<CNY, (2 acts.)
Sciarilli<CNY.
Case on.

PART VII.—Donnelly, J. At 10:30 A. M.

Cruiccio<B Q C & S Ry.
Zeikowitz<N Y Consol Rys.
Tomassey<Mitchell Mot Co.
Siegel<Siegel.
Peterson<Bush Terml.
Kanzer<Voges.
Ward<Whitney Co.
Tomasiello<Union Ry.
Clear.

PART VIII.—Goff, J. At 10:30 A. M.

Hymovitz<Kirshanbaum.
Walpin<NY Rys.
Dodge<O'Connor.
Blesser<OConnor
Harney<Case L M Co.
Schlesinger<Geoghegan.
Dinkelman<Ruppert.
Cummings<NY Pneu S Co.
Wexler<Diamond.
Maloney<Gallagher Trucking Co.
Soloday<same.
Schmitt<Degnon Cont.
Muller<Wendt (2 acts).
Watson<Berger Rty &c Co.
Arakjyian<Union Ry.
Moses<Herzfeld.
Rendler<Carl.
Marshall<Barrett.
Diamond<Victor Land &c Co.
Del Greco<Galliek & Smith.
Ciccarelli<Cantor (2 acts).
Case on.

PART IX.—Delany, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Santora<McMullen, S & T.
Van Zandt<Roberts.
Manning<I R T.
Mamet<Schwab Bros.
Prager<Cohen.
Levine<Whitridge, (2 acts.)
Meyer<Naughton-Mulgrew M C.
Perler<Isaac.
Lesser<Inter Trust.
Dietz<Dickson & T.
Kornblum<Singer.
Valenti<Mesinger, (2 acts.)
Clear.

PART X.—Delehanty, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Zuckerberg<Weitzman
Killoran<N Y Rys.
Davis<Zimmerman.
Milankovitch<Cent Brew Co.
Hughes<Improved Prop Hold Co.
Prescott<same.
McKenzie<same.
Robbs<Ehret.
Schultz<I R T.
Berman<Klosk Const Co.
Nugent<Nas Elec RR.
Case on.

PART XI.—Adjourned for the term.

PART XII.—Adjourned until Feb. 8.

PART XIII.—No day calendar.

PART XIV.—Dugro, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Rosenbaum<Roth.
Farley<Bronx Bath & Hotel Co.
Israel<Skelny.
Schlesinger<Gen Acc F & Life Assur.
Farley<Simon.
Furst<Moskowitz.
George<A H Kellogg & Co.
Bingham<Goldstein.
Frooks<Ruhlin.
Case on.

PART XV.—Greenbaum, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Loring<Cook.
Smith<Hall.
Fitzgibbons Bailer Co<CNY.
Lewis<Weiss.
Heilner<Princess Corset Co.
Olena<Martin.
Wollins<Von Morsteen
Von Raitz<Saltonsall.
Algie<Doyle.
Kerbaugh<CNY.
Kuntze<Meehan.
Manheim<Hotel Credit Letter Co.
Savage<McMorrow Eng Co.
Case on.

PART XVI.—Giegerich, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

Fleischman<Goetz.
Coe<Katz.
Montgomery<Skinner.
Silberstein<Anable.
The Mayor, &c,<N Y C & H R RR.
Watson<Ross.
Lawyers Title Ins, &c, Co<Schmittberger.
Mitchell<Boyer.
Noah<Bk for Sav.
Wegmann<Hearn Const Co.
Barry<Prud Ins Co.
R E Sause Co<Liebman.
Ehrich<Cohen-Brown Co.
Vanta<Mass Bond, &c, Co.
Saltz<Maistre.
McComb<Polstein.
Gromer<U S Drink Cup Co.
Astor Mtg Co<Tenney.
Case on.

PART XVII.—Lehman, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

H S Ely & Co<Jackson Sq Rlty Co.
Welinsky<F C Linde Co.
Hughes<Robinson.
Triangle Waist<Todd.
Ames & Co<NY Op Co
Vandegrift<Boyajian.
Babson<Bernheimer.
A H Kellogg Co<Adsale Serv Co.
Hanbold<Paret.
Clear.

PART XVIII.—Newburger, J.—At 10:30 A. M.

McCullough<Fisher.
Soloman<Reisman.
Chapman<Am Pal Car
Levy<Butler Jacobs Lowry Moynihan Amuse.
Federal Huber<Hildebrand.
East States Ref<White.
Wood<Derrick.
Grace Dellano Co<Newman.
McKeon<Van Slyck.
Morris & Cumming
Dredg<A McMullen.
Boyle<Boyle.
Raccuia<Prot Lathers Union.
Broch<Kinemacolor Co of America.
Donavan<Walsh.
Halle<Stiner.
Schatzkin<Leventhal.
E Riger Co<Croner.
Ladden<Hilton.
Schwartz<McGirr.
Kuhn<CNY.
Case on.

Surrogates' Court.

CHAMBERS—Fowler, S.—At 10:30 A. M. Motion calendar.

W. Josephowitz.
Evelyn M. Dalley.
Eva R. Anderson.
Margarethe Knaus.
Joseph Cohen, &c.
Benjamin Hart.
Rachael Remes.
Leopold Loewy.
Sarah W. Kathan.
James P. Larkins.
Joseph Marvin, inf.
Nicola Leone.
Edward H. Brown.
John Weir.
Matie Fein.
Jenny Klatsky.
Jennie Goron.
Conrad R. Gross.
George Nieman.
Mary Pacheco.
Jane G. Hill.
Ruth Higgins.
Erich Spielbuhler.
Leung Chow.
Rachel Lorenz.
Isaac E. Holbrook.
Thomas Rutter.
Dudley Jardine.
Ray Haber.
Jacob Rubino.
David Nugent.
Solomon R. Jacobs.
K. Shemberg.
H. G. Elisheimus.
William H. Taller.
Eleanor Hart.
Thomas Rutter.
Andrew Hutton.
Kalil Freije.
E. Fischer, &c.
E. G. K. Halsey.
Agnes Hector.
G. V. N. Baldwin.
Isaac E. Holbrook.
Anna L. Scott.
Patrick A. Tallon.
C. F. Gennerich.
G. Gagliardi.
Edward Anthony.
Catherine Suhrer.
Henrietta A. Webb.
Solomon Rothfeld.
C. C. Wasson.
Elizabeth Salt.
C. A. Lightpipe.
John E. Nevins.
Elizabeth Duke.
Mary Bernard.
Wills for probate:
Maria McGuinness.
Jane E. Britton.
John L. Adams.
Gertrude M. Keates.
Carrie E. Pierson.
Elizabeth A. Flood.
Timothy Norton.
Margaret Frost.
R. E. Hartsfield.
George Wicheins.

TRIAL TERM—Cohalan, S.—No day calendar.

City Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—O'Dwyer, C. J.—Litigated motions at 10 A. M.

Clark<Lowenstein.
Ornstein<Rubin.
Brodsky<Zahn.
Brown<Stephens.
28th St Co<Pendleton.
Simon<McElroy.
Guggenheim'r<Dalberg
Freund<Stillman.
Kuntz<Rothschild.
La Patricia C C Co<Dahlgren.
Hanover Bldg Co<Est of S Jacobs.
Pick<Wood.
Wile<Liveright.
Cohn<Kaltman.
Binder<Tull.
Solomon<Jolson.
Wile<Liveright.
Wechsler<Adler.
Vail<Collegiate Rty.
Yannora<Miller.
142 W 26 St Rty Co<Arlowitsch & Co.
Dalltroff<Bettinson.
Wiener<March.
Gutfreund<Maryland M C Ins Co, (2.)
Natkin<NY Cent RR.
Vernon<Balassa.
Kaufman<Herzog (2.)
Senko<P & R C & I.
Fargo<Helfstein.
Weil<Am Fid Co.
Drucker<Un Elec, &c.
Aronowitz<Coggeshall.
Eisenshel<Vesell.
Kahn<Horton Ice C.
Liakon & Co<Reliable Fur, &c, Co.
Filemann<Bird.
Warshowsky<Boss & O
Prienstein<De Rosa.
Rosenblum<Levy.

PART II.—La Fetra, J.—Ex parte business. At 10 A. M.

TRIAL TERMS.—Part I.—McAvoy, J.—At 9:45 A. M.

Curran<Schaffer Brew Co.
Sugarman<42 St, &c, RR.
Tropkin<Fleig.
Rimi<Palladino (2 acts.)
Doughty<Weston.
Merchants Un Ice Co<O'Rourke.
Peacock<Kaufman Co.
Vesage<Fullager.
Barat<Schulman.
Caraccia<Matthews.
Machaurcz<Roebling Const Co.
Morris<Roberts.
Weitzman<Siff.
Costello<McNulty Bros, Inc.
Ruben<Silverman.
Ruben<Silverman.
Jackson<5th Av Coach Co.
Donnelly<Waldo.
Dwyer<Waldo.
Marx<Waldo.
Kramer<Wien.
Kramer<Wein.
Wachs<N Y Rys.
Trop<Friedberg.
Kaplan<Borden's Con Milk Co.
Kaplan<Borden's Con Milk Co.
McCarthy<N Y Rys.
Horowitz<Linch.
Rothenberg<Stiberman.
Mahler<NY Rys.
Ingardone<McMullen S & T Co.
Kirchenbaum<NY Rys.
Zimms<Int R T Co.
Harrigan<Prendergast.
Goldstein<Rothfleisch.
Desio<Rabbi J Joseph's School.
Greco<same.
Fuhrman<Robinson.
Spire<Robinson.
Goldberger<Robinson.
Rosenfeld<same.
Georgia<Mauro.
Shea<Rosenberg.
Scharff<Shealer.
Sass<Powells.
Stelmak<NY Rys.
Gilbert<NY Rys.
Harris<same.
Fierstein<NY Edison Co.
O'Grady<NY Rys.
Sternberg<same.
Case on.

PART II.—Lynch, J.—At 10 A. M.

Padernacht<Lapidus.
Fersch<Linder.
Bonetto<Blotto.
Forman<Wavecrest Const Co.
Rump<Boomer.
Levy<Hilton.
Title Guar, &c, Co<Blauplan.
Sommer<Kohn.
Riverside Drive Apts<Shaw.
Case on.

PART III.—Finelite, J.—At 10 A. M. Commercial calendar.

Siegel<Berkowitz.
Georges<N Lecakos & Co.
Breitman<Charitin.
Ginsberg<Connor.
Jefferson Bk<Fischel.
Cohen<Rosenthal.
Polack Tyre Rubber<Callahan Bros, Inc.
Cohen<Levy.
Jewel, Hoenig & Co<Collucci.
Ward<Pelton.
Flintoff & Malat<Maxwell.
Acme El Garage<Hueg
Pasotti<Sherrill.
Wayne Cut Glass Co<White.
56 & 58 W 45 St Rty Co<Felix.
Perlman<Am Fid Co.
Ivy Courts Rty Co<Merrall.
Swekaby<Com Ins Co.
Mornson<Aaron.
Wimpfheimer<Schn'd'r
Case on.

PART IV.—Schmuck, J.—Case on.

PART V.—Allen, J.—Case on.

PART VI.—Smith, J.—Case on.

PART VII.—Ranson, J.—Case on.

PART VIII.—Zeller, J.—Case on.

Referees Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Lehman, J.—Taylor<O'Brien—Abraham Nelson. Re Sabine Process Co—Daniel B Murray.

SUPREME COURT—Greenbaum, J.—Public Bk<Malawista—Albert B Unger. Rothman<State Holdg Co—Walter R Herrick.

SUPREME COURT—Page, J.—Levine<Napoleon Const Co—Newman Levy. Kingsland<Lieb—Frank Cochrane.

Receivers Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Lehman, J.—Harry Weill<Fredericka Levy—Frederick E Klein. Commonwth Ins Co<Annie Brown—Samuel C Herriman. Greenwich Sav Bk<John McAleer—Frederick E Klein. Same<Wm W Davidson—Henry Brady.

SUPREME COURT—Cohalan, J.—Ernest Zipse<Jos Scher—James A Danegan.

KINGS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Recess.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Jaycox, J.—Motions, at 10 A. M.

Bundorf<Weinerman.
Same<Goldberg.
Levin<Levin.
Bell<B H RR.
Bklyn Ash Can Mfg<Gande.
Zoffer<Dougherty.
Re 11th Av, (Hanley.)
Re 14th Av, (Trask.)
Re 41st St, (same.)
N E RR Co<City.
Ralston<Prendergast, (2.)
Shulman<Pearl.
City<Maresco.
Bklyn Poster Adv Co<Horn.
Gibson<NY & Q Co Ry
Duggan<same.
Kane<same.
McAvoy<NY & L I Tr.
Chernobil<Goldman.
Clark<Am St Barrel.
Re Met Tobacco Co, (Manacker.)
City Tax Lien Co<Murray.
Reden<Siff.
Met Tobacco<Seligsun.
Bryant<Camardella.
Re Loyd.
Re Debevoise St, (Rausch.)
Gudziak<Holbrook, Cabot & R.
Hinze<Hinze.
Ithell<Burnham.
Same<Malone.
Robb<Robb.
Lurz<Douglas M H Co
Bauer<Jaimer.
Fitzpatrick<Sherwin, R & C Co.
Schmitt<Rohn.
Re Johnson.
Cottrell<Cottrell.
Re Insley.
Liedermann Bennat R Co, (2.)
Becker<Becker.
Foreman<Nordon Con Co.
Macon<Macon.
Phillips<Phillips.
Bklyn Tr Co<Johnson Bldg Co.
Re Van Deventer Av.
US Radiator Co<Auer.
Lahey<Bd of Educat.
Zackariason<Zobel.
Ostergren<Warren.
Nageley<Nageley.
Trehey<Abbott.
Sullivan<Sullivan.
Schor<Briskman.
O'Connor<Donohue.
W Gleichman & Co<Fish.
Gerard<Johnson.
Parker<NY & F RR(2)
Same<Langan.
Weisman<B H RR, (2.)
Heunewinkell<BHRR.
Maslanka<Am Mfg Co.
Carello<Sarrentino.
Tona<Polito.
Re Randolph.
Kuntz<Peterson.
Burden<Bjeering.
Re Woodward.
Re Grymes.

PART II.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.

SPECIAL TERM—Part III., Blackmar, J.—Trials at 10 A. M.

Dickens<CNY.

The cases marked ready on the reserved calendar will appear on this calendar when the above cause is disposed of.

Highest number, 1704.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Kelly, J.; Part II., Maddox, J.; Part III., Blackmar, J.; Part IV., Aspinall, J.; Part V., Benedict, J.; Part VI., Van Siclen, J.; Part VII., Jaycox. J.

Causes irrespective of the time required for trial thereof will be assigned on Fridays. If not finished that day, will be carried over to the following Monday.

Re H. T. Johnson, an alleged incompetent.
Melle<B H R R.
Hoberman<Butler et al
Hand<Gruber.
Levine<Essex & Lee Co et al.
Wright<Cooke Milk & Cream.
Rooney<Nass RR.
Kirkland & Kiely<So B'klyn Ry.
Condon<Nass RR.
Wiesner<B H RR.
Lauro<Clark.
Thompson<3 Av Ry.
Bauman<NY Rys.
Hanson<Hay Fdry & Iron Works.
Koll<Am Ever Ready.
Malloy<C I & B RR & CNY
Sachs<NY C & H R RR.
Ready<Diam'nd Dairy
Menzer<Goldfeder.
Smith<Collins.
Jacobson<Assoc Optg.
McPadden<Atl Basin Iron Wks.
Buller<Dippel.
Precht<B H RR.
Marchlevsky<Stanley Gollick Co.
Guadagno<Madden.
Diament<Nas R R.
Adelowitz<Sulzberger & Sons Co.
Griffiths<Scott-Dalgleish.
Mason<C I & B R R.
Grossman<Heye.
Anderson<Levy.
Olson<Almkvist.
Rizzo<McGrath.
O'Brien<Agar & Co.
Johansen<B, Q Co & S RR.
McTernan<C I & B R R.
Boyce<Hopson.
Hazelton<Heisenbuttel
Donato<Atl Steved'g.
Zerillo<Bellekoff.
McCarthy<Cohn Cut Stone Co.
Mutz<Gurny.
Clement<Clement.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon this call:

Nosk<CNY.
Ossenfort<Wells & an.
Jackson<McLean.
Lund<B'klyn Ash Rem Co-Bor Dev.
Woitas<Bretsch.
McCauley<Whitridge.
Ryan<B, Q Co & S R R.
Downing<Marine Bas.
Pease<Wiley.
Wingard<So Pac Co.
Kayata<Ontra.
Jacobs<C I & B RR.
Murdock<Behrens.
Dambey<Newman & Carey Co.
Rhine<Sarem and an.
Ferry<Dancik.
Cavagnaro<Turner & Blanchard.
Davidson<Valley Yarn & Woolen Co.
Attardo<Nas R R.
Distasio<Smith Co.
Hamman<B'klyn E D Term.
Leman<W'minster Hts
Deming<Lindwall et al.
Neary<Graff.
Gregory<Man Brier P.
Schaffner<Nat Lead.
Nilsen<Best Co.
Mulcahy<Smith et al.
Heinrich<CNY.
MacReynolds<C I & B RR.
Schoeller<CNY & Int R T.
Bay View Const Co<Lasdon.
Hewlett<Ritter Conley Mfg Co.
Nunez<Rubens.
Borough Bank<Doolittle.
Donovan<CNY.
Conlon<Burden & Co.
Carlucci<Turzolino.
Bauer<Montague Mailing Mach Co.
Burkhardt<Fritz.
Hamilton Trust Co<Flynn et al.
Farrell<Steeplechase Park Co.
Kane<Kern.
Strasburg<C I & B R R.
Hennessey<B Un Gas.

Highest number reached on regular call, 5265.

County Court.

CIVIL—Part IV.—Dike, J.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.

Sahlman<Atl Basin Iron Wks.
Stakas<Gair Co.
Delitto<Stabile.
Domingo<Kreger.
Epstein<Union Holdg.
O'Connell<Schaffner.
Roach<Bklyn U Gas.
Fortunoff<Nass E RR.
McCormack<B, Q C & S R R.
Sica<B H R R.
Feuchel<Lipsky.
Kiehno<B H R R.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day:

Crowley<Nass E R R.
Feinbloom<Nass E RR.
Wetterhorn<Parnelsky Bros.
Doscher<Rudd.
Ostfeld<Markowitz.
Dohm<O'Hara.
Walsh<Smallman.
Mullen<Bklyn H RR.
Tarantine<Bklyn H RR.
Kelleher<Potaky.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS.—Ketcham, S.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.

Wills of:
Francis Armstrong,
John McKearney,
Walter O'Toole,
Margaret McCabe,
Anna Kohlbe.
Admr of:
Eugene Corning,
Andrew Rust.
Acctg in estates of:
Leopold Starry,
B Cruse,
Margaret G Orr,
J C Thimig,
E P Daley,
Andrew Nelson,
Robert Carson,
William Gelden,
A M Meeker
J J Reichart,
Amelia Geifter,
Albert Schieranbeck,
J A Benson,
Maria Tripley.
Estates of:
Ester Greenfield,
Katherine Mayer,
Larson infants,
Caroline Dividsberg,
Felix Esnes,
Sheehy infants,
Diedrick Francke.

BRONX COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Brady, J.—At 10 A. M.—Motion calendar.

Egert<London Feather Nov Co.
Schmidt<Schmidt.
Bronx Women Suff Lea, Inc.<Harvat.
Shafer<Jaffe.
S Nolan<Goettel.
W Nolan<same.
Zwoboda<Goettel.
Lederman<Blue Ridge Const Co (2.)
Hoffman<Brierhoff.
Van Riper<Cornell.
Zimmerman<Zimmerman.
Nute<1st Nat Bk of Amstm.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Part I.—Brady, J.—No day calendar.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Brady, J.

Burke<NY Rys.
Goodman<Baer.
Shaw<Kemp.
Rubenstein<Dodin.
Fahey<Hay Fdy & I W
Radenhacher<Morris.
Cavalie<NY Rys.
Savanti<Pitts Con.
Lovisek<Richey, B & D
Gottfried<Lefrien.
Freemorgen<Col Wax Products.
Weinstein<NY Rys.

Highest number reached in regular order, 136.

County Court.

CHAMBERS.—Gibbs, J.—Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM—Gibbs, J.—Motion calendar.

Schoenfeld<Levy.

TRIAL TERM—Gibbs, J.—No day calendar.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

TRIAL TERM—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

Referees Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Brady, J.—Corporate Mtg Co<Nelson—John T Martin. Clocke<Steil—Henry K Davis.

Receiver Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Brady, J.—Arnold Timmerhaus<Mitchel McDermott Const Co—Sidney B Hickox.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Tompkins, J.; Part II., Mills, J.; Part III., Keogh, J.—Day calendar at 9:45 A. M.

Nor West Light Co<Vil of Ossining.
Tholin<Rinschede.
Sherman<NY, NH RR
Ganung<Myers.
Richardson<Haas.
Carpenter<Twigger.
Ohl<Gifford Co.
Fredericksen<New Rochelle C & L Co.
Mahony<Burch.
Anderson<Int R T Co.
Hetzel<NY, NH RR.
Direnzio<Dunn.
Hearn<West El R R, (2.)
Imundi<Wright.
Same<Cushman.

The following causes may either be marked ready or marked over to another day:

McCormick<Cent P'k Taxi Co.
Liberty Brew Co<Olt.
Johnson<West St Ry.
Van Vorst<Carpenter, (2.)
Van Hook<Mason & H
Horan<NY, NH RR.
Melino<Pitts Con Co.
Dunn<NYC & H RR.
Hubbell H'wood Door<Rothkirch Bldg Co.
Wagner<Rice.
Pace<West Elec R R.
McGinley<Spero.
Dunlop<Wakeman.
Ella<Hardy.
Greenlee<Todd.
Whalen<NYC & H R R R.
Maher<Gants.
Coutant<Int R T Co.
Irvine<Fowler.
Conway<Naylor Bros.
Hall<Mallinson.
Goodhart<Hasbrouck.
R Miller Mill'g Co<Fuchs.
Tackman<Leibold Con
Stehlin<City & Co Con
Barrett<Conklin.
O'Grady<Rinehart & Dennis Co.
Gardella<Pitts Con.
Larosa<C. T. Wills Co
Tumino<same.
Grogan<Maxwell Briscoe Co.
Harrison<Chester Hill A S Co.
Croft<Peekskill Light & R R Co.
Campbell<Ter City Hygeia Ice Co.
Monsers<Roberts.
Becker<Chester Hill Auto S Co, (2.)
Hyde<Garvey.
Abrams<D & L Bldg Co.

Highest number reached on call, 630.

Surrogate's Court.

Sawyer, S. At White Plains.

Will for probate:
Patrick Farrell.
Real est. proceed'g:
Arthur Holland.
Compulsory acct'g:
Margaret H. Maynard.
Trustee's acct'g:
John McCord.
In re estate of:
Julia Wilkins.
Order to show cause:
John A. Campbell,
John Smith.

At Yonkers Wednesday.

Accounting:
Caroline L. Holstrom,
Bridget Flynn,
Thomas Farrell,
Margaret I. Williams.
Will for probate:
Serena W. Truman.
Order to show cause:
Phebe S. Brower,
Ida Mead.

QUEENS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

TRIAL TERM:—Part I.—Van Siclen, J.; Part II.—Benedict, J.—At 10 A. M.

It is requested that the name of trial counsel be filed with the Clerk in Part I.

Attention of the bar is called to Rules 6, 7, and 8, Calendar Rules, Queens County.

Riechers, as admx<T Burkhardt, Inc.
Martin<Krantz et al.
Napolitana<Transit Devel't Co.
Haas<Wright et al.
Mandell<Burns.
Mimno, an inf<Neptune Meter.
Cunningham<B, Q Co & Sub RR.
Kavanagh as trus<CNY.
Hill<NY & Q C Ry.
Marterer<Jauert.
Murray<L I RR.
Illing<NY & Q C Ry.
Nagy<Miller et al.
Farrell<T A Gillespie.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set for a day on this call.

Fetz<Jaffe et al.
Maderio, an inf<Karfoll.
Walling<Com Adver Assoc.
Bonny<Bradley Cont.
Smith as admx<I R T.
Smith<CNY.
Doremus<B, Q Co & Sub RR et al.
Powers<Baumert et al
Criscuola<B, Q Co & Sub RR.
Maier<B H RR.
Murray<O'Connor et al.
Driscoll<Brindell.
Van Trott<same.
Conklin<B H RR.
Walsh<Keck.
Nevins<Ruthman.
Forristall<B, Q Co & Sub RR.
Vogt<B H RR.
Klingenberg<CNY.
Engelhardt<Lake.

Highest number reached on the calendar is 784.

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

Miniature Almanac for Today.

Sun rises..7:10|Sun sets..5:18|Moon rises..8:21

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	9:00	9:32	2:55	3:27
Governors Island	9:08	9:39	3:19	10:58
Hell Gate	10:58	11:29	4:59	5:31

Arrived—Monday, Feb. 1.

SS Franconia, Liverpool, Jan. 23.
SS Seguranca, Havana, Jan. 26.
SS Coamo, San Juan, Jan. 27.
SS Stephano, St. John's, Jan. 30.
SS Kurdistan, Naples, Jan. 15.
SS El Cid, Galveston, Jan. 26.
SS Proteus, New Orleans, Jan. 27.
SS Peter Hamre, Colon, Jan. 13.
SS Bermudian, Bermuda, Jan. 30.
SS El Dia, Galveston, Jan. 26.
SS Joseph d'Giorgio, Port Morant, Jan. 27.
SS Vidar, Baltimore, Jan. 29.
SS Suram, Penarth, Jan. 14.
SS Perfection, Tampico, Jan. 18.
SS Borinquen, San Juan, Jan. 26.
SS Calamares, Cristobal, Jan. 25.
SS Northern, Norfolk, Jan. 31.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TODAY.		
Prins Frederik Hendrik	Haiti	Jan. 25
Kansas City	Swansea	Jan. 15
Sao Paulo	Bahia	Jan. 13
Columba	Genoa	Jan. 10
Moldegaard	Seville	Jan. 14
Maracas	Naples	Jan. 14
Francisco	Hull	Jan. 16
Glenstrae	London	Jan. 19
Magdalena	Rotterdam	Jan. 18
Luigi Ciampa	Naples	Jan. 17
Drammensfjord	Leith	Jan. 18
Saratoga	Havana	Jan. 30
Copenhagen	Balboa	Jan. 25
Sabine	Mobile	Jan. 26
San Marcos	Galveston	Jan. 27
DUE TOMORROW.		
Patria	Marseilles	Jan. 16
Gregory	Para	Jan. 22
El Alba	Galveston	Jan. 28
Apache	Jacksonville	Jan. 31
DUE THURSDAY.		
Adriatic	Liverpool	Jan. 27
Kansan	London	Jan. 21
Virginie	Havre	Jan. 20
Menominee	London	Jan. 23
Creole	New Orleans	Jan. 30
Carrillo	Kingston	Jan. 30
Comanche	Jacksonville	Feb. 1
Cretan	Savannah	Feb. 1
DUE FRIDAY.		
Oosterdyk	Rotterdam	Jan. 23
Colon	Cristobal	Jan. 30
Mayaro	Grenada	Jan. 29
Comal	Galveston	Jan. 30
DUE SATURDAY.		
Philadelphia	Liverpool	Jan. 30
Minnehaha	London	Jan. 28
Acre	Bahia	Jan. 18
Santiago	Progreso	Jan. 30
Lenape	Jacksonville	Feb. 3
City of St. Louis	Savannah	Feb. 3

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TODAY.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Ryndam, Rotterdam	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Honduras, Tampico	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Matura, Grenada	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Mohawk, Jacksonville	———	1:00 P.M.
City of Montgomery, Savannah	———	3:00 P.M.
El Sud, Galveston	———	12:00 M.
SAIL TOMORROW.		
Arabic, Liverpool	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Kursk, Archangel	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Drumcliffe, Argentina	2:30 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
Stephano, St. John's	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Zulia, San Juan	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Bermudian, Bermuda	9:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Zacapa, Jamaica	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Algonquin, Turks Island	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Alaunia, Liverpool	———	10:00 A.M.
Sant' Anna, Marseilles	———	4:00 P.M.
Arapahoe, Jacksonville	———	1:00 P.M.
Concho, Galveston	———	1:00 P.M.
Mexico, Gibara	———	12:00 M.
El Rio, New Orleans	———	12:00 M.
SAIL THURSDAY.		
Oscar II., Christians'd	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Allianca, Colon	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
El Occidente, Galveston	———	12:00 M.
SAIL FRIDAY.		
Guiana, St. Thomas	11:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Monterey, Havana	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Apache, Jacksonville	———	1:00 P.M.
Cretan, Savannah	———	3:00 P.M.
SAIL SATURDAY.		
New York, Liverpool	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Europa, Naples	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Bergensfjord, Bergen	10:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Saratoga, Havana	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Coamo, San Juan	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Calamares, Havana	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Manchioneal, Jamaica	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Verdi, Bahia	9:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Franconia, Liverpool	———	10:00 A.M.
Borinquen, San Juan	———	12:00 M.
San Marcos, Galveston	———	1:00 P.M.
Sabine, Tampa	———	1:00 P.M.
Mohawk, Jacksonville	———	1:00 P.M.
Santa Theresa, Havana	———	12:00 M.
Proteus, New Orleans	———	12:00 M.
El Alba, Galveston	———	12:00 M.

By Marconi Wireless.

SANDY HOOK, N. J., FEB. 1.

SS Bergensfjord, Bergen to New York, signaled morning of 1st, (time and distance not given;) may arrive Wednesday morning.

SCOTLAND LIGHTSHIP.

SS Carrillo, Colon to New York, was 1,123 miles S. at 8 P. M. Jan. 31.

SS Creole, New Orleans to New York, was 108 miles S. W. of Jupiter at noon.

SS San Marcos, Galveston to New York, was 200 miles S. of Diamond Shoals at noon.

SS Comet, Sabine to New York, was 290 miles S. of Diamond Shoals at noon.

SS W. B. Keene, Belfast to New York, was 225 miles S. at 7 P. M.

SS Prins Frederik Hendrik, Haiti to New York, was 167 miles S. at noon.

SS El Sol, Galveston to New York, was 100 miles W. of Tortugas at 6 P. M.

SS Radiant, Sabine to New York, was 10 miles W. of Sand Key at noon.

SS Saratoga, Havana to New York, was 250 miles S. at 7 P. M.

SS Apache, Jacksonville to New York, was 540 miles S. at 7 P. M.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Verona, at Naples, Feb. 1.
SS Adolph, at Shields, Jan. 31.
SS Chr. Christensen, at Shields, Jan. 31.
SS Prins Maurits, at Amsterdam, Jan. 28.
SS Romsdal, at Svereesborg, Jan. 25.
SS Frutera, at Kirkwall, Jan. 28.
SS Coruna, at Kirkwall, Jan. 29.
SS Lux, at Alicante, Jan. 28.
SS Iroquois, at London, Feb. 1.
SS Rydal Hall, at Bombay, Jan. 29.
SS Sandon Hall, at Calcutta, Jan. 29.
SS City of Durham, at Yokohama, Jan. 31.
SS Vasari, at Montevideo, Jan. 31.
SS Touraine, at Havre, Feb. 1.
SS Gargoyle, at Gibraltar, Jan. 29.
SS Minas, at Rio Janeiro, Jan. 29.
SS Zyldyk, at Maasluis, Jan. 30.

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SS Minneapolis, from London, Jan. 30.
SS Montevideo, from Cadiz, Jan. 30.
SS Hellig Olav, from Christiansand, Jan. 30.
SS Niagara, from Havre, Jan. 30.
SS Philadelphia, from Liverpool, Jan. 30.
SS Romanoff, from Appedon, Jan. 29.
SS Orduna, from Liverpool, Jan. 31.
SS Buenos Aires, from Havana, Jan. 31.
SS Frey, from Shields, Jan. 30.
SS American, from Rio Janeiro, Jan. 30.
SS Re d'Italia, from Naples, Jan. 25.

Passed.

SS Maria C., New York for Gibraltar, passed St. Michaels.
SS Wilhelm Colding, New York for Aarhus, passed Cape Wrath.

Transatlantic Parcel Post Mails.

Great Britain and Ireland—Close at 5 P. M. Feb. 5, SS New York.
France—Close at 11 A. M. Feb. 13, SS Niagara. Belgium—Service suspended.
Gibraltar—Close at 7 P. M. Feb. 16, SS Cretic.
Greece—Close at 12 M. Feb. 6, SS Thessaloniki.
Liberia—Close at 12 M. Feb. 24, SS Bassem.
Sweden and Denmark—Close at 9:30 A. M. Feb. 4, SS Oscar II.
Norway—Close at 9:30 A. M. Feb. 4, SS Oscar II., and at 9:30 A. M. Feb. 8, SS Bergensfjord.
Italy—Close at 5 P. M. Feb. 5, SS Europa.

Transpacific Mails.

These mails close at 6:30 P. M.

Japan, Corea, and Philippines (via Seattle)—Ixion	Feb. 4
Hawaii (via San Francisco)—Wilhelmina	Feb. 5
Hawaii, Japan, Corea, China, and Philippines (via San Francisco)—Chiyo Maru	Feb. 8
Hawaii (via San Francisco)—Manoa	Feb. 11
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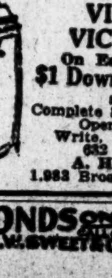

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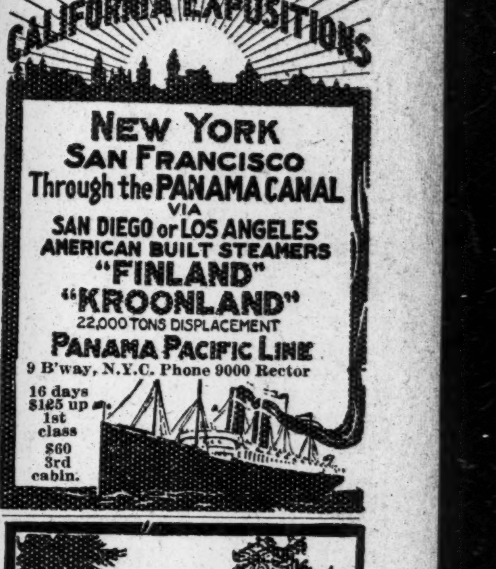

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THE LIEBLER CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., at 461 4th Av., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of theatrical costumes of the following plays. Kyrle Bellew, Twelfth Night, Marriage a la Carte, A Certain Party, Paper Chase, Zim-Zim, Merchant of Venice, White Sister, Much Ado, She Stoops to Conquer, The Christian, Raffles, also trunks, roll top desk, typewriter, adding machine, carpets, screens, chairs, tables, fixtures, etc.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of KENNEDY & MOON Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, 1915, by order of the court, at 2 P. M., at 29 Broadway Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of office furniture and fixtures, typewriter, safe, etc., law books, Custom House reports.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of JOSEPH KLEIN, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells Monday, Feb. 8th, 1915, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 539 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of diamonds, rubies, semi-precious stones, etc.

AUGUSTINE DERBY, Receiver.
ELLWOOD M. RABENOLD, Attorney for Receiver, 61 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of McGOWN, SILSBEE LITHO CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, 1915, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 128 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of post cards, notions, calendars, cash registers, safe, fixtures, etc.

ABEL I. SMITH, Jr., Receiver.
MARCUS HELFAND, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

NO. 19830—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York—EDWARD B. WHITE, Bankrupt

Notice is hereby given that Edward B. White bankrupt has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10.30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 19998—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York—HARRY WEITZEN, Bankrupt

Notice is hereby given that Harry Weitzen bankrupt has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all credtors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10.30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 19,413.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—ROSALIE JOEL, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Rosalie Joel, bankrupt, has filed her petition, praying for a discharge from all her debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 19305.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—GEORGE WALLACE, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that George Wallace, bankrupt, has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SO. District N. Y.—No. 21,140.—In Bankruptcy.—WILLIAM E. FALKENBERG, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said Willian E. Falkenberg are hereby given notice that on January 28th, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, February 11th, 1915, at ten A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated, New York, January 29th, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 21141.—In Bankruptcy.—CARMELIA LEVOLI, Bankrupt.

Carmelia Levoli was duly adjudicated bankrupt on January 28, 1915, and the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 45 Cedar Street, City of New York, on February 16, 1915, at 11:30 A. M. Creditors may then attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 21096.—In Bankruptcy.—EDWARD GARDNER CRANE, Bankrupt.

Edward Gardner Crane was duly adjudicated bankrupt on January 21, 1915, and the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 45 Cedar Street, City of New York, on February 16, 1915, at 12 noon. Creditors may then attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 21128.—In Bankruptcy.—HARRY ROTBARD, Bankrupt.—Harry Rotbard, was duly adjudicated bankrupt on January 26, 1915, and the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 45 Cedar Street, City of New York, on February 16, 1915, at 11 A. M. Creditors may then attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 21013.—In Bankruptcy.—ABRAHAM RICHARD, Bankrupt.—Abraham Richard was duly adjudicated bankrupt on January 20, 1915, and the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 45 Cedar Street, City of New York, on February 16, 1915, at 10:30 A. M. Creditors may then attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SO. District N. Y.—No. 21,137.—In Bankruptcy.—MAURICE ASINOF, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said Maurice Asinof are hereby given notice that on January 28th, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, February 11th, 1915, at 11 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated, New York, January 29th, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SO. District N. Y.—No. 21,116.—In Bankruptcy. DAVID BRAUN, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said David Braun are hereby given notice that on January 25th, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, February 11th, 1915, at 2:30 P. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, January 29th, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SO. District N. Y.—No. 20,958.—In Bankruptcy.—BARNEY LEEDER, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said Barney Leeder are hereby given notice that on January 19th, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, February 11th, 1915, at one P. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, January 29th, 1915.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

In Town.

ARNOLD B. HEINE & CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Benjamin and Arthur Heine, doing business as Arnold B. Heine & Co., importers of embroideries, 11 East Twenty-sixth Street, by Dennis & Buhler, attorneys for these creditors: Jacob Roliner, $114,686; Philip Lorie, $3, and Edgar Lowenthal, $38. Dennis & Buhler said that the liabilities are $400,000, of which Arnold B. Heine has a claim of $288,000, which is disputed. The actual assets are about $60,000. The firm says they are $100,000.

MAISON BERNARD, INCORPORATED.—Two petitions in bankruptcy have been filed against Maison Bernard, Incorporated, dealers in furs, gowns, and millinery, 308 and 330 Fifth Avenue. One was by these creditors: Harry M. Spence, $500; Mark Aronson & Co., $263, and Paul T. Kammer, Jr., $234, and the other by these creditors: S. Berschawsky & Co., $300; Bach Fur Company of New York, $99, and Charles Mautner, $185. The liabilities are said to be about $70,000.

S. & S. FURNITURE COMPANY.—Jacob Segal and Isidor Steinwurzel, doing business as the S. & S. Furniture Company, 44 Avenue B, have made an assignment to Morris M. Becher. A petition in bankruptcy was also filed against them by these creditors: Samuel Moskowitz, $121; H. Kraan Furniture Company, $89; Imber & Reiner, $62; Melbach Brothers, Incorporated, $41; Joseph W. Ginsberg, $86, and Empire Table Company, $115.

JACOB BERNARD.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Jacob Bernard, jeweler, of 106 Fulton Street, by these creditors: S. Kaplan & Co., $500; Royal White $80, and Rose Goldberg, $80. Liabilities $15,000 and assets $5,000. A City Marshal has levied on the place.

WILLIAM C. MUNZ, carpenter and builder, of 409 East Eighteenth Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,279 and assets of $667.

JACOB EINSTOSS, butcher's clerk, of 340 East Fourth Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $3,376 and no assets.

MAX PIASECKI, embroidery, of 736 Riverside Drive, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $8,894 and no assets. The liabilities are all for indorsing notes. Among the creditors are the German Exchange Bank, $3,343, and Otto Erler, $2,485.

THE ECONOMIC PRINTING CO., INC., of 160 William Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $4,947 and assets of $1,714. There was a fire on Sept. 4.

JOHN BOZZUFFI.—Judge Mayer of the Federal Court yesterday confirmed a composition of John Bozzuffi, private banker, of 1,149 First Avenue, with creditors at 100 cents on the dollar. The amount is payable in preferred stock of a corporation which takes over the assets and liquidates them. The preferred stock is to be issued for the total amount of the assets. Common stock to the amount of $25,000 is also to be issued. His schedules showed liabilities of $501,497 and assets of $489,557. There are 1,000 depositors.

S. HEILMAN & CO., (corporation,) wholesale dealers in hosiery and underwear, 5 West Fourth Street, has made a composition with creditors at 33 1-3 cents on the dollar, and Judge Mayer has confirmed the composition. Liabilities were $121,872.

SMITH-HAINES.—Judge Mayer has confirmed a composition of Smith-Haines, dealers in auto supplies at 1,761 Broadway, with creditors on application of Jesse Watson, who said that the settlement was for 20 cents cash. Liabilities were $23,887.

ASCH BROS.—Judge Mayer has confirmed a composition of Asch Bros., dealers in men's furnishing goods, 607 Tenth Avenue, with creditors at 25 cents on the dollar.

ALL-STAR FEATURE CORPORATION.—Judge Mayer has appointed Milton M. Goldsmith and Arthur F. Gotthold receivers for the All-Star Feature Corporation of 220 West Forty-second Street, bond $500. Assets are estimated at $10,000. It was stated that the company is a sub-company of the Alco Film Corporation, for which the above persons were appointed receivers.

SULLIVAN GARAGE COMPANY, Inc., of 115 East Seventy-fifth Street, has filed schedules showing liabilities of $33,726 and assets $2,476 in accounts.

RASHKIN BROTHERS, bookbinders, of 424 West Thirty-third Street, have filed schedules showing liabilities of $27,858 and assets $3,939.

DAVID MOSKOWITZ, manufacturer of waists, 62 Grand Street, has filed schedules showing liabilities of $5,404 and assets $2,469.

NICHOLAS N. JOELSON, druggist, 537 West 187th Street, has filed schedules showing liabilities of $4,039 and assets $2,000 in stock.

KINSIE & LONG.—Irving C. Kinsie and Maurice Long, comprising the firm of Kinsie & Long, dealers in men's furnishing goods, 359 Eighth Avenue, have made an assignment to Edward J. Ryan. They have been in business five years.

JOSEPH RUBINSTEIN, manufacturer of women's coats and suits, 15 West Twenty-fourth Street, has made an assignment to J. Charles Zimmerman.

Out of Town.

BOSTON.—A petition against Fuller Greene Company, manufacturing confectioners, by the Hooton Chocolate Company of Newark, N. J. Liabilities estimated at $56,000 and assets at $62,000. The petition states that the purpose is to prevent certain attachments.

NEWARK, N. J.—John P. Morrison, furnishing goods, 230 Market Street, petition. Morrison, it is alleged, absconded last week, taking a large part of his assets with him. Morrison's liabilities are said to exceed $7,000, with assets of $5,000.

Discharges in Bankruptcy.

Judge Mayer, in the United States District Court, yesterday granted discharges to these bankrupts:

SAMUEL MAGEN, surviving partner of A. Frankenstein & Co., pawnbrokers, 74 Delancey Street; liabilities, $85,992.
JOHN H. GOETSCHINS, carpenter and builder, 539 Hudson Street; liabilities, $80,558.
ALFRED E. KLAHRE & CO., importers of hair, furs, and rattan, 35 East Seventeenth Street; liabilities, $78,823.
JACOB ARKIN, paper box manufacturer, 48 Mangin Street; liabilities, $21,532.
ROSE HOFFMAN, cloaks, 14 West Seventeenth Street; liabilities, $19,618.
HERMAN STRUMWASSER, cloaks, 135 West Twenty-sixth Street; liabilities, $17,456.
ANSELM BRUCK, 243 West 126th Street; liabilities, $4,118.
MILTON R. COHEN, butcher, 353 Columbus Avenue; liabilities, $2,933.
JACOB KUGELMAN, embroidery, 590 East 137th Street; liabilities, $5,293.
SAMUEL KOPELMAN, salesman, 1,095 Second Avenue; liabilities, $4,266.
LEVY & SCHWARTZ, as Bushwick Jewelry and Novelty Co., 1,237 Broadway, Brooklyn.
LEOPOLD MAY, stationer, 66 East 104th Street; liabilities, $2,946.
SWETLOW & SON, 98 Clinton Street; liabilities, $1,875.
SYLVESTER E. VAUGHAN, architect, 103 Park Avenue; liabilities, $3,979.

JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were filed yesterday in New York County, the first name being that of the debtor:

Aulbach, Christian—A. Florio, $191.
Aderer, Julius—M. Aderer, costs, $119.
Attix Electrical Engineering Co.—W. R. Ostrander & Co., $107.
Brower, Maurice—E. Berger, $1,965.
Bobland & Alkier Construction Co.—M. M. Phillips et al., costs, $286.
Blum, Fannie—H. Grumpelt, costs, $115.
Burch, Geo. B.—F. H. Dodd et al., $112.
Bradshaw, Wm. H.—First National Bank of Dover, Del., $1,623.
Culgin Pace Contracting Co.—Wickes Bros., Inc., $2,221.
Coughlin, Thomas F.—G. W. Linch, costs, $110.
Chantes, Christopher—M. Taliafferro, $126.
Costea, Michael—J. Costea, $500.
Clarkin, Barney—N. Y. A. K. J. Chemical Co., $121.
Cowen, Abraham—F. Moran, $209.
Costello, John H.—P. Sinnott, $444.
Doherty, John—Beacon Falls Rubber Shoe Co., $336.
Eskelin, Minnie—F. Larsen et al., $150.
Frank Louda Co.—C. E. Haviland, $307.
Firestone, Charles—F. Kupferberg, $573.
Fesia, Nicola—E. C. Bentizrod, $228.
Falkenburg, Wm. E.—C. F. Winant et al., $206.
Fisher, Morris—Inter. Rapid Transit Co., costs, $123.
Galvas, Goris, or Goers Gobias—People, &c., $100.
Greenberg, Isidore—M. Silver et al., $102.
Gilligan, Edw. J.—C. Christensen, $144.
Gebruder, Horwitz Co., Inc.,-Horowitz Bros.—Margareten, $105.
Hay Foundry and Iron Works—T. Gibbons, $632.
Hobby, William—Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., $354.
Harburger, Jonas W., adm.—B. Levy, costs, $108.
Hutcheson, Ralph E.—Colonial Bank, $474.
Harrison, Wm. B.—Carnegie Trust Co., $718.
Hubbell, Eleanor; Charles L. Hubbell, and Jennie E. Matthews—P. Van Alstine, $142.
Herzberg, Joseph—Mable & Co., Inc., $162.
Hahn, John J.—L. Westheimer et al., $125.
Hast, Walter—L. Schlechter, $114.
J. Rosenblum & Co., Inc.—T. W. Morris et al., $361.
Linder, Herman F.—W. Baunstein, $591.
Lanes, Hyman—Y. Salzman, $132.
Littlefield, Chas. E., adm.—B. Blumenthal, $688.
Londis, James—A. H. Bullard, $113.
Lazaroff, Abe—B. J. Dryfuss, $155.
Malik, Wojciech—Polish Printing House, Inc., $249.
McNeece, Thomas I.; Albert E. Weisser, and Samuel Haney—American Surety Co. of New York, $562.
Markey Press, Inc.—Higgins & Higgins, Inc., $410.
Macdonald, John H.—Dunbar Box and Lumber Co., $1,037.
McKeever, Timothy W.—Northern Bank of New York, $119.
O'Connell, James—S. G. Rosenbaum et al., costs, $108.
Pond, Charles M.—A. F. Pond, costs, $101.
Roehr, Arthur C.—C. Fuchs, $108.
Roman Baths Co.—Broadway Sign Building Co., $299.
Pearce, James A.—P. J. Dubois, $10,088.
Rosenberg, Sidney—J. S. Dodge, $241.
Roser, Jacques—H. Isaac et al., $108.
Richards, Arthur R.—B. Robinson, $138.
Sherry, Louis—E. G. Brokaw et al., costs, $149.
Stern, Samuel—I. Eisler et al., $399.
Siegel, Henry, and Edw. A. Hannan—United States Trust Co. of New York, $42,527.
Standard Meter Co.—Henry B. Pancoast Co., $223.
Tesla, Nicola—E. C. Bentzrod, $228.
United Mfg. Trimming Co.—168 Madison Av. Realty Co., $519.
Trippel, Frieda—C. Walsh, $1,045.
Topeka Paving Co., Inc.—L. Scalise, $7,257.
Vaccarelli, Francis P. A.—C. F. Stronmeyer Co., $646.
Wells Bros. Co. of N. Y.—J. Ginsberg, $350.
Same—C. Ginsberg, $750.
Wollner, Pincus—Century Bank of City of N. Y., $118.
Weber, Robert G.—Browning, King & Co., $337.
Windsor Land & Improvement Co.—H. J. Ruby, $1,006.
Zvirin, Nathan—Grayzel Press, Inc., $383.

In Bronx County.

Burns, William—Empire City Gerard Co., $568.
Brown, Michael J.—M. Kovacs, $580.
Fleishman, Israel—M. Krause, $1,256.
Goldberg, Abraham H.—J. F. M. Co., $146.
Lynch, James J.—W. Englert, $216.
Newman, Isidore—S. Bock, $263.

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor and the date that when judgment was filed:

Ryan, Walter J.—Greenpoint Fire Brick Co., Nov. 20, 1914, $182.
Webber, William—City of N. Y., Dec. 8, 1911, (vacated,) $264.
Eldert, Samuel E.—J. Cohen, Nov. 18, 1914, $1,438.
Interborough Rapid Transit Co.—J. Ferrick, Dec. 3, 1914, $250.
N. Y. Railways Co.—M. Kahn, Dec. 15, 1914, $150.
Perry, William T.—R. Whyte, Feb. 5, 1908, $160.
Perry, W. Talbot—N. Y. Transportation Co., Oct. 12, 1903, $906.
Perry, William T.—D. O. Edson, $651.
Same—Gorham Mfg. Co., Feb. 7, 1906, $802.
Scofield, James M.—M. A. Kaufman, Feb. 25, 1914, $1,851.
Tiebout, James M.—F. O. Edgerton, Oct. 29, 1909, $175.
Acme Building Co.—A. H. Perrier, June 6, 1911, $4,252.
Cash, Christopher W.—W. Rich, Dec. 22, 1914, $162.
City of N. Y.—Wakefield Construction Co., Aug. 15, 1913, $184.
Same—Same, Nov. 24, 1911, $109,625.
Same—Same, Nov. 13, 1914, $156.
Same—L. Sternshuss, Nov. 13, 1914, $117.
Same—Same, June 20, 1912, $514.
Same—Same, March 10, 1913, $103.
Same—P. Kean, Dec. 28, 1914, $360.
Same—H. E. Fox, Nov. 6, 1914, $308.
De Riso, Domenick, Joseph Cervas, and Joseph Coniglio—Alvino, Jan. 8, 1915, $1,948.
Horowitz, Abram and Isaac R.—Twelfth Ward Bank, Oct. 17, 1907, (canceled,) $607.
Horowitz, Isaac—J. J. Cork et al., Sept. 24, 1907, (canceled,) $3,113.
Same—Greenwich Savings Bank, March 5, 1913, (canceled,) $18,610.
Same—J. J. Cork, June 11, 1908, (canceled,) $925.
Same—J. J. Cork et al., June 19, 1907, (canceled,) $925.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

NO. 20711.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—EMORY B. REMINGTON, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Emory B. Remington, bankrupt, has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—CLARENCE D. FORD, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Clarence D. Ford, bankrupt, has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 20420.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—MATTEO DE STEFANO, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Matteo De Stefano, bankrupt, has filed his petition praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 20043.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—SAMUEL HANES, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Samuel Hanes, bankrupt, has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 19414.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—VICTOR MENACKER, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Victor Menacker, bankrupt, has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

NO. 19164.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—LOUIS HORDES, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Louis Hordes, bankrupt, has filed his petition, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 8, 1915, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 21006.—In Bankruptcy.—MAX GROSSMAN, Bankrupt.

Max Grossman was duly adjudicated bankrupt on January 21st, 1915, and the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 71 Broadway, City of New York, on February 15th, 1915, at 10:30 A. M. Creditors may then attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated, January 29th, 1915.
STANLEY W. DEXTER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 21139.—In Bankruptcy.—CELIA SCHAEFER, Bankrupt.

Celia Schaefer was duly adjudicated bankrupt on January 28th, 1915, and the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, 71 Broadway, City of New York, on February 15th, 1915, at 11 A. M. Creditors may then attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated, January 29th, 1915.
STANLEY W. DEXTER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SO. District N. Y.—No. 20,722.—In Bankruptcy.—LOUIS WALLACE, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said Louis Wallace are hereby given notice that on January 13th, 1915, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, February 11th, 1915, at 10:30 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated, New York, January 29th, 1915.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SO. District N. Y.—No. 20,652.—In Bankruptcy.—LOUIS SMITH, Bankrupt.

Creditors of said Louis Smith are hereby given notice that on December 1st, 1914, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, N. Y. City, February 11th, 1915, at 12:30 P. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated, New York, January 29th, 1915.

THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Trinity Church Rounds Out Hudson Street Block Front—Builders Buy Dyckman Parcel—$1,000,000 Loan for Broadway Building on Bijou Theatre Site — The Leasing Market.

Quiet conditions prevailed in the realty market yesterday. The chief features of interest in Manhattan were the sale of a plot in the Dyckman district and the transfer of title to Trinity Church of a small parcel on the southwest corner of Hudson and Desbrosses Streets. The property is 195 Hudson Street, covered by a four-story building on plot 25 by 75. Title passed yesterday showing that Trinity purchased the property from Evaline Zingser for $31,000.

This was the only parcel in the block front from Vestry to Desbrosses Streets which the church did not own. The Vestry Street corner is occupied by an eight-story commercial structure and the other half of the block contains four old buildings.

$1,000,000 Loan for Broadway Building.

A building loan of $1,000,000 was made by Mortimer L. Schiff and others interested in the former ownership of the Bijou Theatre property to Walter F. Hopper for the erection of a sixteen-story office building for which plans were filed last week. Mr. Hopper heads the new company which has contracted to purchase the property and erect the building. The plot is at 1,237 and 1,239 Broadway, running through to Sixth Avenue, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first Streets. Work on this new mid-Broadway structure will begin early in the Spring.

Builders Buy Dyckman Plot.

The Dyckman deal involved the purchase by a syndicate headed by Fred F. French of a plot 50 by 150 on the east side of Vermilyea Avenue, 300 feet north of Dyckman Street, from Thomas H. Calhoun. The new owners have had plans prepared by the architect, George Pelham, for improving the site with a five-story apartment house to cost about $80,000.

Tenement Property Resold.

The A. N. Gitterman Corporation has sold the five-story tenement with stores at 328 East Thirty-ninth Street on a plot 25 by 100 for the Yen Realty Corporation to Lilla D. Bonney. This was sold by the same brokers for Julia D. Tonnelle about a month ago and the present sellers, after making extensive alterations, resold at a profit.

A Recent Buyer.

C. Grayson Martin is the buyer of the Altman leasehold property at the northwest corner of Fifth Avenue and Fiftieth Street, sold last week through George R. Read & Co.

Another Union Square Lease.

William Schimper & Co., now located at 652 Broadway, where they have been located for a number of years, have decided to move further uptown, and have leased from Lowenfeld & Prager the first loft in the former Decker Building, at 33 Union Square. Recently the old Tiffany Building in this section was leased for a term of years.

Leases.

George R. Read & Co. have leased to Michael Friedsam, President of B. Altman & Co., the entire eighth floor in the Fullerton Weaver apartment, now being erected at the northwest corner of Park Avenue and Fifty-fourth Street. The apartment will be rearranged to meet the requirements of Mr. Friedsam. Ex-Gov. Levi P. Morton has taken an apartment in this house.

Fish & Marvin have leased the property of Mrs. Edith M. Sprague, known as Eclypse Hill, at Croton-on-Hudson, to George W. Elen of this city. The property was rented for a term, and consists of a country house and seven acres of land.

Julia Beverley Higgens has leased for Mrs. Peter Augustus Jay her house, furnished, at 19 East Seventy-fifth Street, to William G. Borland.

George R. Read & Co. have leased for the estate of C. Jourgensen the store, 96 Maiden Lane, to Calenti & Cobas.

American Real Estate Co. Report.

The American Real Estate Company's twenty-seventh annual report, issued yesterday, shows an increase of only slightly over $30,000 in its bond obligations and over $850,000 in paid-up preferred and common stock adds a larger margin of security to the holder of its bond obligations.

In the appraisal upon which the figures in the statement are based, it has taken up the values of its properties upon a basis which reduces the surplus about $500,000. The increase in new capital created during the year, however, leaves a margin of capital and surplus of over $3,500,000, or more than $300,000 greater than last year.

The statement shows that all taxes, assessments, and interest due on mortgages payable are paid to date with a cash balance of over $327,000.

The total assets of the company are shown by the statement to be $29,432,660.83. Against these assets rest underlying mortgages of $11,710,960, leaving a balance of assets of $17,721,700.83.

The company reports that notwithstanding general business conditions the past year was a successful one in its rental departments. Many of its buildings are filled to 100 per cent. of capacity.

New Post Office.

Shampan & Shampan have filed plans for a post office to be erected on a plot 87 by 100 on the northwest corner of Willoughby Avenue and Steuben Street, Brooklyn, to be known as "Pratt Station." The owners are the Morris Building Company, for Pratt Institute.

The post office will be modern in every respect, in which one of the main features to be installed will be showers to be used by letter carriers. Work will be started immediately upon approval of plans from the various departments, and will be ready for business on April 1, 1915. The same architects have just completed the Ridgewood station post office. United States Government lessee.

Realty Notes.

Leopold Weil and Adolph Meyer were the brokers in the recent lease of the Hotel Majestic for a long term for the Rothschild estate to a new operating company, of which Copeland Townsend and George C. Brown are the active representatives.

The Dennier Realty Company denies the sale of the six-story apartment house at 179th Street and Pinehurst Avenue, reported sold last week to Richard W. Freedman.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.

By James J. Donovan.

Cornell Av, n s, 135 ft e of Old Road, 50x100; M. S. Hyman against L. D. Burke et al.; G. Arnold Moses, attorney; H. K. Davis, referee; due, $431.80; taxes, &c., $141.12; to the plaintiff for $600.

TODAY'S AUCTION SALES.

AT 14 VESEY STREET.

By Samuel Marx.

32d St, 142 West, s s, 435 ft w of 6th Av, 20x44.7x20.5x40.2, three-story tenement; M. D. Cleland against M. R. Cleland et al.; J. W. Russell, attorney; William Klein, referee; partition.

By Bryan L. Kennelly.

37th St, 4 and 6 West, s s, 141.6 ft w of 5th Av, 43x98.9, two six-story loft and store buildings; William Ziegler, Jr., against Midville Realty Co. et al.; Swan & M., attorneys; William Klein, referee; due, $275,107.60; taxes, &c., $6,650.74.

By Joseph P. Day.

122d St, 359 West, n s, 116 ft e of Morningside Av, 15x100.11, three-story dwelling; Donald Robertson Co. against M. P. Ferguson et al.; T. J. Meehan, attorney; E. L. Parris, referee; due, $10,945.65; taxes, &c., $418.72.

7th Av, 1,961 to 1,969, n e corner of 118th St, 100.11x100, three five-story flats, stores on corner; United Hebrew Charities against J. H. Lowenstein et al.; Cardozo & N., attorneys, A. S. Gilbert, referee; due, $123,918.98; taxes, &c., $425.

58th St, 227 and 229 East, n s, 230 ft w of 2d Av, 25x100.4, two three-story dwellings; R. L. Fisher et al., executors and trustees, against R. M. Montgomery et al.; Cary & C., attorneys; H. F. Rabbe, referee; due, $16,080.35; taxes, &c., $428.54.

165th St, 552 West, s s, 132.6 ft e of Broadway, 16x104.10x16x106.5, four-story dwelling; J. C. W. Pilgrim against Ensign Realty Co. et al.; H. F. Lippold, attorney; L. C. Dessar, referee; due, $10,679.66; taxes, &c., $388.66.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.

By Henry Brady.

143d St, 468 East, s s, 625.6 ft e of Willis Av, 31.11x115.10x43.10x112.1, two-story dwelling; Margaret Peterson against J. J. Montgomery et al.; M. J. Sullivan, attorney; J. P. Hennessy, referee; due, $3,352.47; taxes, &c., $499.07; subject to a first mortgage of $1,000.

By Samuel Marx.

Fort Independence St, 3,394, e s, 488.5 ft n w of Giles Place, 25.1x74.5x25x75.4, three-story dwelling; Railroad Co-operative Building and Loan Association against E. L. Mills et al.; E. J. Crandall, attorney; Phoenix Ingraham, referee; due, $5,955.27; taxes, &c., $312.54.

By James J. Donovan.

Zulett Av, s s, 425 ft w of Mapes Av, 50x100; Rose Hyman against L. D. Burke et al.; G. A. Moses, attorney; E. J. Flynn, referee; due, $303.62; taxes, &c., $88.50.

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THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Manhattan Av, 505, for a one-story garage, 15x18.5; A. Katsickian, 340 West 121st St, owner; Gronenberg & Leuchtag, 303 5th Av, architects; cost, $150.

Fox St, n w corner of St. John's Av, for a five-story brick tenement, 50x90; Howala Construction Co, Charles S. Levy, 1,029 Tremont Av, President, owner; Moore & Landsiedel, 3d Av, and 148th St, architects; cost, $50,000.

Hoe Av, w s, 330 ft s of 165th St, for a five-story brick tenement, 65.9x101; Hoe Avenue Realty Co, David Rosing, 61 West 113th St, President, owner; Gronenberg & Leuchtag, 303 5th Av, architects; cost, $75,000.

55th St, 13 to 17 West, for an 8-story and basement apartment hotel, 75x84.9; George Backer Construction Co., 51 Hamilton Terrace, owner; Wallis & Goodwillie, 56 West 45th St., architects; cost, $200,000.

Alterations.

Items under $5,000 omitted.

Broadway, 503 and 505, and Mercer St, 74 and 76, to a 5-story store and loft; Trustees of Columbia University, owner; John B. Snook Sons, architects; cost..........$5,000

Madison Av, s w corner of 68th St, to a 4-story and basement dwelling; James A. Hawes, 648 Madison Av, owner; Gronenberg & Leuchtag, 303 5th Av., architects; cost, $8,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, FEB. 1.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

CANAL ST, 346, s w corner of Church St, 25.7x41.6; United States Savings Bank to John W. Cornish Construction Co., 805 Tremont Av, (mtg $27,500,) Jan. 29; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..........$100
EDGECOMBE AV, n w corner of 139th St, 99.11x138.2; Charter Construction Co. to Treblig Realty & Construction Co., Inc., 35 Nassau St, Feb. 1, (mtg $175,000;) attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..........$100
GREENE ST, 151, n w corner of Houston St, 44 to 48, 20x79; Helena Realty Co. to Thomas H. Roff, at Morganville, N. J., (mtg $45,500,) Jan. 29; attorneys, Kurz & Uren, 3,025 3d Av..........$1
GREENE ST, e s, 1,765 Prince St, 25x100; Catherine F. Bennett to Peter W. Rouss, 320 Garfield Place, Brooklyn, (mtg $17,000,) Jan. 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..........$100
HUDSON ST, s w corner of Debrosses St, 25x75; Evaline Zingseu to Rector, &c., Trinity Church, 187 Fulton St, Feb. 1; attorneys, Jay & Candler, 48 Wall St..$31,000
MINETTA ST, 16 to 22, n w s, at s w s of Minetta Lane, 21, 80x75; Central Trust Co. to Giorgio De Scala, 23 to 25 Minetta Lane; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..........$1
PRIVATE ST, e s, extending n and s w of Riverside Drive at point 501.1 ft s from e s of 2d private st and s e of Fort Washington Park, runs s e 125x e 108.11x n w 125x w 108.11; Matilda Edelston to Clifford Barbee and another, March 19, 1910, (mtg $10,000;) attorney, Richard E. Weldon, 233 Broadway..........$100
9TH AV, w s, 61.11 ft s of 36th St, 20.6x100; George J. Knoth et al. to John Knoth, Grand Av, Baldwin, L. I., Jan. 26; attorney, Louis Wendell, Jr., 277 Broadway..........$1
10TH ST, n s, 200 ft w of 3d Av, 25x94.6; Edward D. Dowling, referee, to Otto Schmidt, Sr., 944 3d Av, Jan. 30; attorneys, Appell & Taylor, 51 Chambers..........$3,000
14TH ST, n s, 130.11 ft w of 2d Av, 26x103.3; Eclectic Medical College to the Church Extension Committee of the Presbytery of N. Y., 156 5th Av, Jan. 26, (mtg $21,000;) attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..........$1,500
20TH ST, s s, 175 ft e of 8th Av, 26.6x77; Lulu C. Smith to Julia Laughlin, 501 West 171st St, Feb. 2, 1914, (mtg $10,000)..........$1
25TH ST, s s, 122.6 ft w of 8th Av, 40x98.9; Rudolph Feibusch to Bernhard Rosens, 562 West 144th St, Nov. 27, (mtg $30,000;) attorney, L. A. N. Zurke, 290 Broadway..$100
29TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of 5th Av, 74.6x98.9; Bancroft Realty Co. to E. A. L. Realty Co., 505 5th Av, Jan. 29, (mtg $300,000;) attorneys, M. S. & I. S. Isaacs, 52 William St. $100
30TH ST, 634 West, s s, 25x98.9; Edward Lavin to Thomas H. Stewart, 2,836 Decatur Av, Bronx, Dec. 31, 1914; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.$100
SAME PROPERTY; Thomas H. Stewart to John T. Stanley Co., Inc., 642 to 652 West 30th St, Feb. 1, (mtg $10,000;) attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..........$100
46TH ST, 107 West, n s, 100 ft w of 6th Av, 25x100.5x irregular; Beekman Holding Co. to Leo Rosenberg, 175 West 72d St, ½ part, (mtg $38,000,) Oct. 1, 1914; attorney, Lewis M. White, 7 Beekman St..........$100
52D ST, n s, 70 ft e of Lexington Av, 15x84.1; Maria T. Edwards et al., executors, to Cornelia A. Beekman, 35 East 38th St, Feb. 1; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..........$15,000
SAME PROPERTY; Maria T. Edwards to same, Feb. 1; attorney, same..........$1
71ST ST, n s, 70 ft w of Madison Av, 25x102.2; Mary A. Dean to Fannie F. Welch, 15 East 71st St, ½ part; attorneys, Seybel & F., 41 Park Row..........$1
72D ST, s e corner of Lexington Av, 80x104.4; E. A. L. Realty Co. to 150 East 72d St, Inc., 34 Nassau St, Jan. 29, (mtg $465,000;) attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..........$100
82D ST, n s, 387.6 ft e of Columbus Av, 22.6x102.2; George C. Towne to Louise Parsons, at Kennebunk, Me., Nov. 23, 1911; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..........$1
85TH ST, s s, 396 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 18x102.2; Adeline Widmayer to Margaret Bennett, 134 West 85th St, (mtg $16,000,) Feb. 1; attorney, Walter J. Egan, 258 Broadway..........$100
120TH ST, s s, 125 ft w of 1st Av, 25x100.11; Lina Scheinberg to Abram Morris, Nov. 28, 1905, (mtg $18,000;) attorneys, Towne & Spellman, 115 Broadway..........$23,000
124TH ST, s s, 175 ft e of Broadway, 50x100.11; Joseph McCloskey, referee, to Irving Savings Institution, 115 Chambers St, Jan. 30; attorneys, Deyo & B., 111 B'way.$64,700
135TH ST, s s, 293.2 ft w of Broadway, 38.7x99.11; Louis J. Meader to Ashbel Hubbard, 956 Government St, Mobile, Ala., (mtg $48,000,) Jan. 21; attorney, Kellogg & Rose, 115 Broadway..........$100
142D ST, s s, 100 ft w of Convent Av, 18x99.11; William F. Unger, referee, to Carolyn L. Weaver, Darien, Conn., Jan. 29; attorney, Richard M. Farries, 165 Broadway..........$18,000
163D ST, n s, 150 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 25x112.6; Henry W. Steinert and another, executors, to Adorphine C. Becker, 1,005 Summit Av, Bronx, Feb. 15, (mtg $16,500;) attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..........$19,250
184TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 50x99.11; Apartment Homes Co. to Ray D. Kupferman, 236 West 70th St, Feb. 1, (mtg $53,600;) attorneys, Davis & Davis, 49 Chambers St..........$54,000

Bronx.

COLLEGE AV, n e corner of 165th St, 200x200 to Findlay Av, Lillian E. Enser et al., to Fannie G. Slattery, 241 West 102d St, ¾-part, Jan. 27; attorney, V. J. Slattery, 241 West 102d Street..........$1
ELLIOTT AV, w s, 25.1 ft n of Julianna St, 24.10x100; Solomon Katz to Herman Steinkamp, 570 West 172d St, Jan. 29; attorney, Salter & S., 140 Nassau St..........$200
HULL AV, 3,147, w s, 20x100; Henrietta C. Green to Sadie G. Schmidt, Harrison, N. Y., (mtg $5,500,) Jan. 29; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.$100
JULIANNA ST, n w corner Elliott Av, 100x25.1; Solomon Katz to Howard Tompkins, 139 East 16th St, Jan. 29; attorney, Salter & S., 140 Nassau St..........$200
LONGFELLOW AV, e s, 150 ft s of 172d St, 100x100; Manhattan Mtg. Co. to Traf Building Co., Inc., 4,029 Lowerre Place, Jan. 30; attorney, A. B. Carrington, 200 B'way.$100
LOT 10, map of Cornell estate; Norbert Robillard to John L. Thomas, 609 West 127th St, (mtg $600;) Jan. 30; attorney, John L. Thomas, 152d St. and East River. $100
LOTS 171 to 174, Map of N. Y. Catholic Protectory; Theo. Demmerle to William A. Giesen, 1,879 Southern Boulevard, 2-3 part, Dec. 1, 1914; attorney, William A. Giesen, 1,879 Southern Boulevard..........$100
LOTS 70 and 78, Map of Hudson Park; Caroline Holtzmann to Elizabeth Motschenbacher, 629 11th Av, Dec. 15, 1914; attorney, Henry A. Steinbach, 81 East 125th St.$1,500
MARMION AV, 1,833, w s, 40x irregular; Frederick Dannhauser to William Saler, 740 East 175th St, (mtg $9,500,) Jan. 25; attorney, William Saler, 740 East 175th St....$1
OLD HUNTS POINT ROAD, (closed,) centre line at n s land conveyed by John D. Crimmins to Elizabeth Lowe, 27.6x irregular; George F. Johnson to John D. Crimmins, 40 East 68th St, Jan. 2; attorney, N. Y. Title Insurance Co., 135 B'way..........$100
PLOT begins 990 ft e from e s White Plains Road, 820 ft n of Morris Park Av, 25x100; Biagio Colloraffi to Teresa Colloraffi, 1,882 Barnes Av, one-half part, Jan. 29, (mtg $3,000;) attorney, Maurice Dix, 529 Courtlandt Av..........$300
UNION PLACE, s s, 75 ft n w of Highbridge Av, 25x100; Adelaide Meyer to August Wilks, 65 East 108th St, (mtg $4,000,) Jan. 28; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..........$100
WEBSTER AV, s w corner of 166th St, 200x100; Benjamin S. Halsey to Sheffield Farms-Slawson-Decker Co., 524 West 57th St, (mtg $21,000,) Dec. 18; attorneys, Alger & S., 27 William St..........$100
166TH ST, n s, 128.1 ft w of Union Av, 37.6x149.4; David Siegel to Joseph Knopp, 1,030 Hoe Av, (mtg $35,000,) Feb. 1; attorneys, Hirleman & V., 391 East 149th St..........$100

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

DELANCEY ST, n s, 50 ft e of Clinton St, 25x100; Annie Leiman to India Wharf Brewing Co., 60 Hamilton Av, Brooklyn, Jan. 19, prior mtg $24,000, demand, p. c. as per bond..........$1,000
EDGECOMBE AV, n w corner of 139th St, 99.11x138.2; Treblig Realty and Construction Co. to Charter Construction Co., 119 West 40th St, Feb. 1, prior mtg $175,000, due Jan. 15, 1922, 6 p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance Co., 160 Broadway..........$35,000
ELDRIDGE ST, 205, w s, 25x100; Carl A. Rodenburg to Charles Brandt, Jr., 319 West 87th St, Jan. 30, 2 years, 6 p. c..........$250
MINETTA ST, 16 to 22, n w s, at s w s of Minetta Lane, No. 21, 80x75; Giorgio De Scala to Central Trust Co., 54 Wall St, Jan. 30, 10 years, 4½ p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.. $20,250
SULLIVAN ST, e s, 400 ft n of Bleecker St, 15x100; Anna Cavallo et al. to Maria Gizzi and another, 173 Sullivan St, due Dec. 31, 1916, 6 p. c.; attorney, Charles P. Ponto, 320 Broadway..........$2,000
14TH ST, n s, 130.11 ft w of 2d Av, 26x103.3; The Church Extension Committee of the Presbytery of New York to Eclectic Medical College, 242 West 73d St, prior mtg $21,000, Feb. 1, due March 1, 1916, 6 p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..........$4,500
30TH ST, 634 West, s s, 25x98.9; Thomas H. Stewart to Edward Lavin, 86 Woodhull St, Brooklyn, Dec. 31, 1914, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..........$10,000
40TH ST, s s, 150 ft w of 6th Av, 25x98.9; Edward W. Browning to Bowery Savings Bank, 128 Broadway, Feb. 1, 5 years; attorneys, Cadwalader, W. & T., 40 Wall St, $50,000
44TH ST, s s, 34.8 ft e of Lexington Av, 16.4x83; Sadie G. Shea et al., to New York Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway, Feb. 1, 3 years..........$10,000
45TH ST, n s, 175 ft e of 9th Av, 25x100.5; John C. Brinkman to John Willenbrock, 1,906 Marmion Av, Jan. 29, prior mtg $22,000, 5 years, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Elfers & A., 277 Broadway..........$5,000
51ST ST, s s, 380 ft e of 10th Av, 20x100.5; Annie Rafferty to Daniel P. Brophy, 514 10th Av, Jan. 26, due as per bond; attorney, Joseph J. Harris, 99 Nassau.....$3,000
72D ST, s e corner of Lexington Av, 80x104.4; 150 East 72d Street, Inc., to E. A. L. Realty Co., 505 5th Av, Jan. 29, due Feb. 1, 1918; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway..........$65,000
79TH ST, n s, 240 ft e of 3d Av, 20x102.2; Ella A. and Elizabeth Ryan to Bowery Savings Bank, 128 Bowery, Jan. 30, 5 years; attorneys, Strong & C., 40 Wall St.. $7,500
82D ST, s s, 81.6 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 18.6x102.2; Thomas Lennon to Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank, 51 Chambers St, Feb. 1, 3 years; attorney, M. J. Scanlan, 51 Chambers St..........$12,500
142D ST, s s, 100 ft w of Convent Av, 18x99.11; Carolyn L. Weaver to F. B. Tompkins, 120 West 93d St, Jan. 29, prior mtg $13,000, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Foley & Powell, 206 Broadway..........$3,600
SAME PROPERTY; same to same, executor, Jan. 29, 3 years; attorneys, same.$13,000

Bronx.

HALL AV, 3,147, w s, 311.5 ft n of Woodlawn Road, 20x100; Sadie G. Schmidt, Harrison, N. Y., prior mtg. $5,500, Jan. 30, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..........$1,925
LONGFELLOW AV, e s, 100 ft s of 172d St, two lots each 50x100, two mtgs. each $34,000; Traf Building Co., Inc., to Manhattan Mortgage Co., 200 Broadway, Feb. 1, due as per bond; attorney, Manhattan Mortgage Co., 200 Broadway..........$68,000
PLOT begins 576 ft n of Eastern Boulevard (proposed) and 330 ft e of land of N. Y., New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., 105x irregular; Factory Sites, Inc., to R. Clarence Dorsett, (gdn.,) 53 West 70th St, Jan. 29, due March 1, 1918, 5½ p. c.; attorney, R. Clarence Dorsett, 25 Pine St..........$25,000
174TH ST, 490 East, s s, 20x100; Aziner Aghajan to Jacob Levinson, 277 Pennsylvania Av, Brooklyn, Jan. 22, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Meyer D. Siegel, 61 Park Row..$500

RECORDED LEASES.

Manhattan.

With name and address of lessee.

DIVISION ST, 97, two stores; Sophie Maas to Benj. Brodsky, 15 Eldridge St, 10 years from May 1, 1915..........$3,000
EAST BROADWAY, 183, basement floor; Abr. Rothkrug to Morris Levine and another, 183 East Broadway, 3 years, from May 1, 1915; attorney, Levine Goodman, 183 East Broadway..........$1,848
ELDRIDGE ST, 134, south store; Gittel F. Eizenmacht to Jennie Sellinger, 132 Eldridge St, 4 10-12 years from Feb. 1, 1915; attorney, B. C. Karliner, 165 Broadway....$1,440
GRAND ST, 245, store; Morris Golde and another to Vincent Trimarco and another, 245 Grand St, 5 years from May 1, 1915; attorneys, Trimarco Bros., 245 Grand Street..........$4,000
GREENWICH ST, 456, all; Solo Realty Co. to Samuel Shapiro, 9 West 107th St, 5 years from Nov. 1, 1916; attorney, Joseph W. Umans, 64 Wall St..........$1,800
HOUSTON ST, 129 East, all; Joseph M. Goldstein to K. & B. Amusement Co., 129 East Houston St, from Jan. 16, 1915, to May 1, 1917; attorney, D. Handler, 299 Broadway, $2,100
LENOX AV, 490, store, &c.; George Cohen to Julius Ginsler, 130 Kent St, Brooklyn, 5 years, from May 1, 1915; attorney, D. Groberg, 861 Manhattan Av, Brooklyn.... $1,240 and $1,300
MONROE ST, 33, store; Louis Tekulsky to Frank Pace, 33 Monroe St, 2 years from Oct. 2, 1914; attorneys, Paskus, G. & H., 2 Rector St..........$1,320
PARK AV, 1,640, corner store, &c.; Frederick W. Sauder to Francis Monaghan, 667 East 164th St, 5 years, from Feb. 15; attorney, E. M. Burghard, 111 Broadway.. $1,920
2D AV, 686, store floor and basement; Sarah A. Lott to Patrick F. Smith, 211 East 39th St, 5 8-12 years, from Feb. 1, 1915; attorneys, Paskus, G. & H., 2 Rector St..$1,200
7TH AV, 448, store and first floor; Willmarth A. Robinson to Ike Wopinsky, 448 7th Av, 3 3-12 years, from Feb. 15; attorney, L. W. Eisenberg, 261 Madison St..........$1,620
48TH ST, 235 East, all; William Bertschinger, &c., to Therese Zaretzky, 235 East 48th St, 3 4-12 years from Jan. 1, 1914..........$1,100
52D ST, 602 and 604 West; 51st St, 605 and 607 West, all; Edw. W. Delke, executor, to Universal Auto Painting Co., 245 West 55th St, 10 years from Feb. 1, 1915; attorney, A. L. Chess, 38 Park Row..........$6,000
135TH ST, 517 and 519 West, all; Chas. W. Nelson to Joseph Shenk, 66 West 107th St, 3 years from Feb. 1, 1915..........$8,000

Bronx.

162D ST, 372 and 374 East, 1st and 2d floors and cellar; Ida Kunz to Leo Reisch, 372 East 162d St, and another, 3 years and 8 months from May 1, 1915; attorney, Leo Rasch, 372 East 162d St..........$1,500

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

2D AV, 547; Alberene Stone Co. against John Doe, owner; Matthew Frey, contractor..........$33
124TH ST, 510 West; Henry J. Von Der Lieth against Simon Moore Realty Holding Company, owner; Alfred Dowd, contractor...$69
136TH ST, n s, 87.3 ft e of 7th Av, 33.8x99; Jacob Soffen against Thomas J. Simcox and Mary Simcox, owners and contractors (renewal)..........$170
143D ST, 610 to 616 West, and 3 to 8 Colyer Row; Jacob Fehlinger against Mary Martin, owner; Jacob A. Mittnacht, Jr., owner and contractor..........$130
145TH ST, 543 to 551 West; Nathen Borsher against Frederick L. Martin, owner; Rosen Building Co. and Otto and Hans Rudolph, contractors..........$230

Bronx.

207TH ST, s e corner of Post Av; Ciffer-Lanrow Co. against Edward Cruikshank, owner; J. H. MacDonald and A. List & Son, contractors..........$250

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

WALNUT AV, n w corner of 134th St; Bohland & Alkier Construction Co. against Moses M. Philips et al., Nov. 20, 1912.. $15,066
3D ST, 73 to 77 West; Albert G. Richter against Elena Realty Corp. et al., Aug. 4, 1914..........$495
34TH ST, 5 West; Estey Bros. Co. against James W. McCreery & Co. et al., Feb. 27, 1914..........$781
95TH ST, 3 East; Peter McKay, Inc., against Amory S. Carhart et al., Jan. 21, 1915, (by bond)..........$125

Bronx.

BARRY ST, w s, 394.6 ft s of Leggett Av, 100x100; Meyer Grillihas against Factory Sites, Inc., et al., Sept. 4, 1914......$1,750
BARRY ST, w s, 394.6 ft s of Leggett Av, 100x100; A. E. Klotz Fireproofing Co. against Factor Sites, Inc., et al., Sept. 15, 1914..........$1,665
ELY AV, e s, 100 ft s of Boston Post Road, —x—; Henry Bonhagen against Fred Byron et al., Nov. 7, 1914..........$28
SAME PROPERTY; John A. Miller against same, Dec. 19, 1914..........$35
SAME PROPERTY; Mount Vernon Builders' Supply Co. against same, Dec. 30, 1914..$396
SAME PROPERTY; Michael Lagana against same, Nov. 5, 1914..........$41
SAME PROPERTY; Henry Koehler against same, Jan. 21, 1915..........$50
SAME PROPERTY; D. Pizzutiello Co. against same, Aug. 26, 1914..........$35

LIS PENDENS.

Manhattan.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, n e s, 445.1 ft n w of 158th St, runs n 228.3 to 160th St x w 100 x s 204.7 x s e 102.11 to beginning; Riverside Drive, n e s, 478.4 ft n w of 158th St, runs n 257.6 x n w 63.2 x w 39.10 x s 231.11 x s e 110.11 to beginning, two actions; Union Dime Savings Bank against Henry Corn et al., (foreclosure of two mortgages;) attorneys, Woodford, Bovee & Butcher.
LOT 16, Block 1,731, Section 6; Celia Moliver against Louis Lese et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, S. M. Gottesman.
LOT 35, Block 1,225, Section 4; Sol Fishbone against Emma L. Pinkney et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, S. M. Gottesman.
LOT 9, Block 2,234, Section 8; Dora Pines against John Corbitt et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, J. I. Schwartzman.
LOT 17, Block 1,758, Section 6; Sol Fishbone against Bellwood Realty Co. et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, S. M. Gottesman.
LOT 7, Block 2,234, Section 8; Helen Seinfel against John Corbitt et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, J. I. Schwartzman.
LOT 15½, Block 1,758, Section 6; Solomon Fishbone against Louis Lese et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, S. M. Gottesman.
LOT 12½, Block 1,697, Section 6; Dora Pines against Rebecca Smith et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, J. I. Schwartzman.
LOT 47, Block 1,800, Section 6; Celia Moliver against Louis Lese et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, S. M. Gottesman.
LOT 8, Block 1,122, Section 4; Emil Mayer against John G. Van Horne et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorney, C. H. Schwartzman.
WEST END AV, 878; Sigmund M. Lehman et al. against Lillian Sims et al., (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Worcester, Williams & Saxe.
WEST END AV, 269; William Lustgarten & Co., Inc., against Mary McK. Greenwood et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorneys, Lustgarten, Weymann & Pope.
30TH ST, 43 East; William Lustgarten & Co., Inc., against John Lindley et al., (foreclosure of tax lien;) attorneys, Lustgarten, Weymann & Pope.
35TH ST, 41 West; Charles Marx against Emma S. Schoch et al., (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Otterbourg, Steindler & Houston.
110TH ST, s s, 345 ft e of 1st Av, 100x100.10; Josephine J. Schnurmacher against Rubin Laskin et al., (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, S. Berzick.
119TH ST, 355 East; Ida M. King against Anna Tietjen et al., (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, W. E. Godfrey.
152D ST, n s, 300.10 ft w of Broadway, 49.2x199.10, two actions; Hugo H. Piesen against Mary E. Mitchell et al., (amended foreclosure of two mortgages;) attorney, B. Flaishnick.

Bronx.

CASTLE HILL AV, e s, portion of Lot 416, Map of Unionport; Arnold Timmerhaus et al, against Mitchell McDermott Construction Co, et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. J. Wolf.
GILBERT PLACE, 1,215; Henry Dreyer et al. against Normandie Park Co. et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Elfers & Abberley.
GILBERT PLACE, 1,221; Henry Dreyer et al. against Broad Realty Co. et al, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Elfers & Abberley.
137TH ST, n s, 256.7 ft e of St. Ann's Av, 25x100; William Derx et al. against Mary Treanor et al., (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, H. Pouker.
163D ST, 782 East; Jessie Nicholas Wort, as administratrix, against Mary Collins et al., (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Breitbart & Breitbart.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The Western storm remains central over the middle Missouri Valley, and has moved slowly eastward within the last twenty-four hours. This disturbance caused snows in the middle plains States, the upper Mississippi Valley, and along the north border east to Maine, and general rains elsewhere from the Mississippi Valley to the Atlantic Coast.

There were heavy rains in Southern New England, the Middle and South Atlantic and East Gulf States, and the Ohio Valley. Rains have also fallen in the Pacific States.

The temperature has risen in the Carolinas, the Middle Atlantic States, and the Northwest, and it has fallen decidedly in the Mississippi Valley and the region of the Great Lakes.

Indications are that there will be snow in New England, the interior of New York, the south portion of the lake region, and rain in the Middle Atlantic States, the Ohio Valley, and along the South Atlantic Coast during Tuesday and probably Wednesday. In other parts of the country the weather will be generally fair, except that rains are probable in the Pacific States.

Temperatures will be lower Tuesday and Wednesday in the South Atlantic and East Gulf States, Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, and will rise in the Plains States and the upper Mississippi Valley.

Storm warnings are displayed on the Atlantic Coast from the Virginia Capes to Portland, Me., and on the Pacific Coast from San Francisco northward.

Winds for Tuesday and Wednesday along the North Atlantic Coast will be fresh northeast and east gales; Middle Atlantic Coast, fresh east gales; South Atlantic Coast, fresh to strong south winds.

FORECASTS—TODAY AND WEDNESDAY.

Eastern New York—Snow in interior, rain or sleet Tuesday and probably Wednesday.

New Jersey—Rain Tuesday and probably Wednesday.

New England and Western New York—Snow Tuesday and probably Wednesday.

Eastern Pennsylvania—Rain or snow Tuesday and Wednesday.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1914.	1915.		1914.	1915.
3 A. M.	38	34	4 P. M.	45	41
6 A. M.	36	35	6 P. M.	42	39
9 A. M.	36	35	9 P. M.	40	33
12 M.	42	37	11 P. M.	37	32

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 38; for the corresponding date last year it was 40; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 30.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 35, at 8 P. M. it was 35. Maximum temperature 43 degrees at 2:15 P. M., minimum 32 degrees at 1:50 A. M. Humidity 90 per cent. at 8 A. M., 85 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.93 inches, at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.04 inches.

FIRE RECORD.

A. M. Loss.
4:00—301 W. 55 St.; John Reynolds...Slight
6:50—527 W. 41 St.; Louis Steinmeyer.Slight
8:30—246 Clinton St.; Morris Smalowitz. Slight
9:40—728 E. 9 St.; Samuel Rosenstein..Slight
10:05—514 E. 82 St.; Julius Robertchek..Slight
11:20—52 Manhattan Av.; Mrs. N. Grey.Slight
P. M.
12:50—1,352 1 Av.; John Novotny......Slight
1:25—2,290 2 Av.; Ella Blake..........Slight
5:50—1,613 2 Av.; Clarence Lorenz...Slight
6:45—491 E. 156 St.; not given.......Slight
7:00—171 Green St.; Universal Waist Company...............Slight
7:00—Eastern Boulevard and Pelham Road, (auto;) Frederick Heindler. Not given
8:05—248 W. 24 St.; Frank Donatto...Slight
8:50—215 W. 26th St.; William Russell Toilet Preparation ....Not given
9:20 1,429 Amster. Av.; Daniel Reeves.Slight
9:40—168 E. 113th; Antonio Moncini...Slight
10:20—860 Fox St.; Fred. Weisberg....Slight

EDUCATION NOTES.

The Board of Education yesterday approved the action of President Churchill in renewing for three months the appointment of Dr. William B. Noyes as physician for the examination of mentally defective children, due to the continued illness of Dr. Isabelle T. Smart, one of the board's regular medical examiners.

Dr. Louis A. Rodenstein, who died on Sunday a this residence, 561 West 152d Street, was a member of the Board of Education from February, 1902, when it was organized, until December, 1904, when he resigned. Secretary Palmer yesterday submitted a communication relative to Dr. Rodenstein's death to the Board of Education. Mr. Palmer was instructed to print his report in the minutes.

The new "Directory of Teachers in the Public Schools" has just been issued. It is dated 1914. Its information is not entirely up to date, there being about 500 inaccuracies as to teachers' names, &c.

The assignment of E. Gordon Hopper to act as assistant to the Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings for Manhattan, has been extended to April 1, 1915.

Semi-annual reports have been received from the Local School Boards of Districts 13 and 14 as required by the charter. They will be analyzed and referred to the appropriate officials and committees.

Albert J. Levine and Charles Weisbrod have been nominated as teachers for study rooms in evening recreation centres.

Ingo F. Hartman, a teacher in P. S. 166, Manhattan, Gilbert G. Brinckerhoff, and Mashen Gordon of P. S. 40, Manhattan; A. J. Greenberg and Dr. George P. Shirmer of Bronxwood, New York City, form the faculty of a new Summer resort for boys at Schrom Lake, Adirondacks. It will be known as "Pine Tree Camp." The altitude is 1,000. There will be studies and athletics.

The alumnae tea of the Morris High School will be given in the library of that building on Feb. 5. All former students are welcome.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

City.

The eligible list for asphalt steam roller engineman is announced. Those who obtained a rating of more than 80 were as follows:

Daniel S. Thomas, 96; Berton Remey, 95.60; Charles F. Garrecht, 92.60; Joseph A. Kazlowski, 91.60; Ralph S. McGrane, 91.20; Edward T. McGrane, 90.40; William A. Wilson, 90.40; James C. Mellen, 90.20; William J. Lee, 89; Richard G. McGrane, 88.20; James McGahan, 88.20; John Cusick, 88; Joseph A. Dougherty, 87.60; Joseph D. Clancy, 87.60; Peter J. Gahagan, 87; Frank Gernon, 86.40; Frank Cusick, 85.20; Harry J. Magee, 85.20; John St. John, 85.20; Ralph Bloomfield, 83.40; Thomas E. Burnham, 83; Joseph L. Hammond, 82.60; August F. Wagner, 81.80; John A. Neidlinger, 80.80; Charles Hendrickson, 80.80.

United States.

The commission announces a competitive examination at the New York Custom House for junior topographer, for men only, on Feb. 4 and 5 to fill vacancies in the Geological Survey, at salaries ranging from $720 to $1,200 a year. Appointment to permanent positions in the Geological Survey will be made from this register. Competitors will be examined in mathematics, surveying, use and care of instruments, and elements of astronomy as applied to surveying; contour construction, topographic drawing and lettering, training and experience. Applicants must have reached their twentieth but not their thirtieth birthday on the date of the examination, except that in the case of men who have had five field seasons' experience in any Government bureau as technical field assistant doing topographic work similar to that executed by the Geological Survey; the maximum age limit is 35 years. Further information may be obtained from the commission, Washington, D. C.

WILLS FOR PROBATE.

HARTSFIELD, RICHMOND B., (Jan. 27;) personalty, $500; to sister, Sarah C. Williams, insurance proceeds; residue in trust for son, Clarence M.

WICHELNS, GEORGE, (Jan. 18;) realty, over $5,000; personalty, over $5,000; all to mother, Meta Wichelns.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb 1.—Forecasts:

N. Car.—Rain Tues. Wed., cloudy and colder, with fresh s. e. winds.

S. Car.—Rain and somewhat colder Tues. Wed., cloudy, with fresh s. winds.

Ga.—Cloudy and colder Tues. Wed., cloudy, with fresh s. w. and w. winds.

Fla.—Cloudy Tues.; probably rain in peninsula; cooler in n. and cen. Wed., fair, cooler in peninsula; fresh s., shifting to w. winds.

Ala., Miss., and La.—Cloudy and colder Tues. Wed., fair; fresh winds.

East. Tex.—Fair Tues. and Wed.; warmer in n. Wed.; moderate w. winds.

West. Tex.—Fair Tues. and Wed.

Utah—Cloudy Tues. Wed., unsettled; probably rain.

Okla.—Fair and warmer Tues. and Wed.

Ark.—Cloudy Tues. Wed., fair and warmer.

Tenn.—Cloudy and colder Tues. Wed., fair.

Ky.—Rain and colder Tues. Wed., cloudy.

Ohio—Rain in s., rain or snow in n. Tues. and probably Wed., with e. gales.

Ind.—Cloudy and colder, with probably rain in s., snow or rain in n., Tues. Wed., cloudy.

Ill.—Cloudy and colder, with probably snow, Tues.; Wed. fair, with moderate n e gales, diminishing.

Lower Mich. and Wis.—Cloudy, with probably snow Tues. Wed. probably fair; moderate e. gales, diminishing.

Upper Mich.—Cloudy and warmer Tues. and Wed.

Minn.—Fair and warmer Tues. and Wed.

Iowa—Snow Tues. Wed. fair and warmer.

Mo.—Snow and somewhat colder Tues. Wed. fair.

N. Dak and S. Dak.—Fair and warmer Tues. Wed. fair.

Neb. and Kan.—Fair in w., cloudy in e. Tues. Wed. fair and warmer.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

Army Orders.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Maj. F. D. Evans, Adjt. Gen., from Adjt. Gen.'s Dept., to 4 Inf.

Chaplain T. L. Kelley, to Porto Rico Regt. of Inf.

Lt. Col. R. McA. Schofield, Q. M. C., to Phila. on business, then to his station.

Capt. G. E. Kumpe, S. C., to 17 Inf., effective March 8.

Capt. R. S. Welsh, 6 F. A., to service in Quartermaster Corps, Feb. 15.

Capt. P. Hitt, S. C., assigned to 6 Inf., March 21.

Leaves: Capt. H. F. Dalton, 23 Inf., 15 days; Capt. F. H. Pope, Q. M. C., one month; 2d Lt. W. W. Vautsmeir, C. A., 15 days, and Lt. Col. S. S. Jordan, C. A. C., 6 months. Then to Reed Hosp. for examination and report.

Navy Orders.

Com. J. P. Morton, the Academy, to command the Wisconsin.

J. G.—Lt. E. S. P. Brandt, commissioned.

Ensigns E. Williams, First Submarine Div., to command the C-2; P. H. Dunbar, the Georgia, to Great Lakes Station, Ill.; P. T. Wright, the C-5, to Fore River Shipbldg. Co., Quincy, Mass., refitting out L-9 and in command when commissioned; C. M. Elder, to command the C-1; W. L. Wright, Great Lakes Station, to Academy; L. Hancock, the C-2, to Fore River Co., refitting out L-4 and in command when commissioned; G. A. Rood, the Severn, to command the C-5, and D. J. Friedell, the C-1, to Fore River Co., refitting the L-3 and in command when commissioned.

Chf. Mach. J. E. Jones, Indian Head, Md., to Canal Zone; Mach. O. D. Parker, to Indian Head, Md.

Chf. Carp. C. J. Kerr, the Wisconsin, to Philadelphia Yard.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—Utah, Arkansas, Michigan, Papasco, and Patuxent, at Guancanayabo Bay; Hannibal, at Boston; Tennessee, at Alexandria; Bagley, Barney, and Standish, at Norfolk; Montana and Rhode Island, at Guantanamo; Worden, at Key West; Tallahassee, at Norfolk; Des Moines, at Charleston; Nanshan, at La Paz; Arethusa, at Port Arthur, Texas; Yorktown, at Ensenada, Mex.; North Dakota, at Guancanayabo Bay; Cheyenne, H-1, and H-3, at Mare Island.

Sailed—Leonidas, Boston for Guantanamo; Paducah, Boston for Hampton Roads; Cleveland, San Blas for La Paz; Annapolis, La Paz for Santa Rosalia; Lebanon, Norfolk for Newport News; Cyclops, Guantanamo for Port au Prince; Saturn, San Diego for San Francisco, and the Celtic, Boston for New York Yard.

POLICE AND FIRE NEWS.

Police Department.

Retired: Feb. 1, Patrol. M. J. Collagy, 26, at $700 a yr., appointed June 6, 1894; Michael Nolan, 63, at $700 a yr., appointed Oct. 16, 1886; J. J. Caulfield, 164, at $700 a yr., appointed March 1, 1894; J. J. Sullivan, 173, at $700 a yr., appointed March 4, 1891.

Transfer: Jan. 30, Patrol. C. W. Miers, 166, to 146.

Temporary assignments: Patrol. D. J. McNicoll, 5, to D. B., for ten days, Jan. 30; E. W. Tanck, 40, to Training School, for 28 days, Feb. 1. To D. B. from prects. indicated for 10 days: Feb. 3, J. F. Shea, 5; Frank Flynn, 7; Anthony Padrucco, 22; Morris Friedlander, 38; Jos. Wey, 39; Chas. Kane, 25.

Leaves of absence, without pay: Patrol. A. Grundig, 37th, for 1 day, Jan. 31; J. J. Grady, 149, for 1 day, Feb. 1; J. A. Twyford, 171, for 1 day, Jan. 30.

Full pay while on sick report: Serg. J. McAuliffe, 26th, from noon, Jan. 9, to noon, Jan. 19; Patr. G. P. Mueller, 18th, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 3, 1914, to 12:01 A. M., Dec. 12, 1914; P. C. Hearns, 21st, from 2:10 A. M., Dec. 24, 1914, to 12 P. M., Jan. 2; E. Fitzgibbons, 83d, from 2:15 P. M., Sept. 27, 1914, to noon, Jan. 8; H. Grossberger, 33d, from 12:05 P. M., Dec. 1, 1914, to 12 P. M., Dec. 15, 1914; J. Ryan, 35th, from 4:10 A. M., Jan. 21, during disability; B. Maskiell, 35th, from 11:55 A. M., Jan. 1, to 12:01 A. M., Jan. 4; J. J. Delaney, 36th, from 3:30 P. M., Oct. 30, 1914, to noon, Jan. 6; T. Collins, 86th, from 4:50 P. M., Dec. 24, 1914, during disability; M. Sullivan, 63d, from 6:10 P. M., Jan. 13, to 12 P. M., Jan. 18; T. F. Flanagan, 68th, from 11:20 A. M., Sept. 6, 1914, to 12:01 A. M., Jan. 12; H. Appelbaum, 81st, from 8:40 A. M., Dec. 2, 1914, to 12 P. M., Jan. 4; G. C. Schlesinger, 170th, from 4 A. M., Jan. 13, during disability; F. A. Miller, Traf. Div., Subd. B, from 7:40 A. M., Jan. 20, to 12 P. M., Jan. 26; A. F. LaBau, Traf. Div., Subd. C, from noon, Dec. 6, 1914, to 12 P. M., Jan. 7; J. Collins, Traf. Div., Subd. E, from 5:40 P. M., Jan. 15, during disability; F. P. Hughes, Traf. Div., Subd. E, from 5 P. M., Jan. 20, during disability.

Reprimanded: Lieut. J. Keane, 21, Dec. 23, 1914, (1) failed to take proper action; (2) failed to take proper action. Patrol. T. L. England, 2; T. J. Conroy, 6; G. Derleth, 18; J. A. Smith, 21; A. McNulty, 28; M. Coleman, 31; J. J. Quinlivan, 32; R. B. Bowe, 32; J. Harabes, 35; W. H. Matthews, 35; J. Fleming, 36; W. F. Hayes, 37; E. H. Lehmann, 37; R. R. H. Kuntze, 38; G. A. Scheurenbrand, 159; G. O'Connor, Det. Bu.

Restored to duty: Patr. John Devlin, 18th, 11:54 A. M., Jan. 29; P. Dunne, 43d, 11:56 A. M., Jan. 29.

Suspended without pay: Patrol. John Devlin, 18, Jan. 29; Patrick Dunne, 43, Jan. 29.

Resignation accepted: Patrol. Louis Rubin, 290, Jan. 31.

Dismissed: Jan. 30, W. A. Grace, 156, neglect of duty, violation of the rules; F. C. Struss, 285, intoxication.

Death reported: Patrol. J. J. Hanigan, 4, Jan. 31.

Appointed as spec. patrol.; J. F. Flannery, with the Court of Special Sessions, Jan. 30.

Fire Department.

Prob. fireman appointed: Feb. 1, Louis Rubin, assigned to H. & L. 4.

So much of Special Order 231, dated Dec. 31, 1914, as relates to the promotion to take effect Feb. 1, of Capt. Walter Jones, 2d, H. & L. 38, as Chief of Battalion, is hereby revoked.

Capt. J. W. Heffernan, Eng. 205, is hereby promoted to the rank of Chief of Battalion, to take effect Feb. 1, and assigned to 45th Battalion.

Transfers, Feb. 2: Capts. D. Donovan, Eng 208, to Eng. 269; D. F. Harrigan, H. & L. 147, to Eng. 208; W. L. Corley, Eng. 29, to Eng. 205; R. J. Comiskey, H. & L. 24, to Eng. 29.

Detail, Feb. 2: J. J. Hartigan, Eng. 278, to Bureau of Fire Prevention.

Special leave without pay: Capt. E. G. Noth. Eng. 53, 24 hours, Feb. 2.

To Let for Business Purposes.

Thirty cents a line.

Apartment hotel, new, modern, high class, fireproof construction, located in best residential section of the city, to lease for term of years; contains 53 apartments and large dining room; splendid opportunity for right party; only those having thorough experience and able to furnish cash security need apply. Edward Browning, 110 West 40th St.

OFFICES TO SUBLET for unexpired terms of a few months to several years; ANYWHERE, uptown or downtown; saving in rent, 20% to 40%; furnished or unfurnished; single offices and suites. THE SUB-LEASING CO., 1,476 Broadway, (cor. 42d.) Bryant 5786.

64 WEST 9TH, 5-STORY FACTORY,
25x40; excellent light all floors; elevator, electric light, power steam, heat, fireproof passage; rent, $2,400; long lease.
DUROSS CO., 155 WEST 14TH.

A fine private office in Hudson Terminal Building for rent, furnished or unfurnished, with services of phone operator, stenographer. Suite 178-181, 50 Church St.

Desk room or mail privilege in neat, clean office; best location in New York. Room 339, 30 Church St. Hudson Terminal Bldg.

Lofts, desirable location, size, 20x90 and 60x90; suitable light manufacturing or storage; concessions. G. B. Raffetto, 408 West 13th St.

Sub-lease, medium-sized loft with power for machinist at 210-212 Canal St.; reasonable. Apply Coleman, 1,057 Faile St., Bronx.

FT. WASHINGTON AV., 21.—Large, sunny studio; suitable artist, doctor; exclusive apartment; 157 Subway.

HALLENBECK-HUNGERFORD BUILDING, LAFAYETTE, FRANKLIN & WHITE STS.

Lofts, offices, showrooms. Rothschild Realty Co., 98 5th Av. Phone 4990 Chelsea.

50th, 44 West.—Ground floor, 13x50; private house. Plaza 2121.

Bronx.

Will alter tenement building, 37x140, into garage or storage warehouse; McKinley Square section, on Boston Road, near 169th. Loewenthal, 1,347 Boston Road.

ASSIGNEE SALES.

WILLIS BIXLER EHLERS.—IN THE matter of the general assignment for the benefit of his creditors of Willis Bixler Ehlers to Edmund N. Stone, assignee.

Notice is hereby given that Edmund N. Stone, as assignee of Willis Bixler Ehlers, will sell by Charles Shongood, as auctioneer at public auction, on February 15th, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the place of business of Willis Bixler Ehlers, 46 Maiden Lane, Manhattan, New York City, all the personal property of said Willis Bixler Ehlers, in bulk or in separate parcels as he may see fit, excepting the accounts and bills receivable.

The property consists of a general stock of gold and gold-filled jewelry, two safes and fixtures.

The assignee will also receive sealed bids for this property in bulk or separate parcels at his office, 15 Maiden Lane, Manhattan, New York City, on or before February 9, 1915, the assignee reserving the right to accept or reject the sealed bid or bids made at public auction for the property in bulk or in parcels.

EDMUND N. STONE,
Assignee for Willis Bixler Ehlers, 15 Maiden Lane, Manhattan, New York City.
THOMAS FLEMING WALSH, Attorney for Assignee, 32 Nassau Street, Manhattan, New York City.

Mortgage Loans.

Forty-five cents a line.

Mortgage Loan Wanted.

Savings, institution and private money to loan at 4½ and 5%.
Manhattan and Bronx.
DUROSS CO., 155 West 14th St.

Wanted—$20,000, second mortgage on Broadway corner. Address Principal, S 244 Times Downtown.

Mortgage Money.—Manhattan, Bronx, or Brooklyn. Hickey, 818 East 169th St.

City Property.

Thirty cents a line.

Manhattan—For Sale or To Let.

$2,500 cash will buy 5-story double flat with store, 8th Av. near 132d St.; cold water; cheap. Braisted, Goodman & Hershfield, 2,901 Broadway.

Spuyten Duyvil villa sites; auction prices; choice locations. Baker, 7 East 42d.

Brooklyn—For Sale or To Let.

Large corner house, 262 Stuyvesant Av.; 13 rooms, bath; perfect order; room for garage; sell $9,500, rent $60. Owner, 420 Macon St.

Queens—For Sale or To Let.

Lady very much in need of $125 cash at once and leaving city will sell her pretty home, with perfect title, far below value; can arrange balance on $18 a month; 30 minutes out; act quick for a big bargain. Address Mrs. K. M., Box 137 Times Downtown.

Real Estate Wanted.

Old buildings, private houses, or vacant city property wanted; give in payment $60,000 equity in income business property. Goodale, Perry & Dwight, Inc., 1,133 Broadway.

Real Estate for Exchange.

First class tenement. Rent $2600—small mortgage $11,000. What's offered? Room 43, 156 Broadway.

Building Material.

American Roofing and Paint Co.—Roofs repaired; boiler and pipe coverings; factories and warehouses our specialty. 79 Maiden Lane.

Property Out of the City.

Thirty cents a line.

Long Island—For Sale or To Let.

Fine house, seven rooms, improvements; steam plant, electric light; two lots; 35 minutes out; terms and price reasonable. C. Hollberg, Floral Park, L. I.

Westchester—For Sale or To Let.

HOMES AND ESTATES
FOR SALE OR RENT.
ANGELL & CO., SCARSDALE, N. Y.

Larchmont.

Come and see homes and bungalows at Larchmont. Leo Bugg, 40 West 32d St.

New Jersey—For Sale or To Let.

BIG SACRIFICE TO QUICK BUYER.
Modern 9-room house, at East Orange, N. J., on corner plot, 50x100, in select residential section; only couple minutes' walk from Lackawanna Station; institution mortgage, $5,000, at 5%; urgent need of cash in business compels sale regardless of actual value; write for particulars and inspection appointment. Owner, Room 206, 25 Dey St., New York.

A PRETTY HOME
at bargain price, $5,500, including garage; $500 cash required; owing to financial conditions, must sell; new house, 7 large rooms; cozy inglenook, open fireplace, large closets, sanitary gas kitchen, up-to-date bathroom; located 30 minutes from Manhattan; good transportation. Full particulars, House, Room 516, 47 West 34th St., City.

Bargain, $11,000—Very easy terms; beautiful country home; large grounds; library hall, huge living room with open fireplace; 6 bedrooms; every convenience; electric light, steam heat; oak floors, hardwood trim; servants' bath, toilet; huge veranda with fireplace; separate entrance; high in healthy hills; near ex. station, Lackawanna, 27 min. on train. Room 802, 41 Park Row.

REAL ESTATE for safe investment for sale by Banking Dept., State of New York—Building lots, modern houses and bungalows at bargain prices; 1,000 properties at Grantwood, Palisade, Morsemere, Leonia, and Hudson Heights, New Jersey. Titles guaranteed. Liberal terms. Write for full details to BENJ. D. HAIGHT, Special Deputy Superintendent of Banks, 601 Times Building, New York City.

A farm of one acre at Glen Rock, New Jersey, adjacent Ridgewood, half mile from station, 20-mile view; street all improved; new house, six rooms and bath; oak floors, steam heat; exceptional country home; $5,000. Smith-Singer Co., Glen Rock, N. J.

BUILDING SITE FOR SALE.
In New Jersey's most select home town; price very reasonable; owner will furnish reasonable mortgage to build. Edward S. Mercer Co., New Jersey Real Estate, care of G. A. Hurd, Haworth, N. J.

New York State—For Sale or To Let

Free Booklet, "How to Know the Farm to Buy," will be mailed on request. E. E. Slocum, Farm Specialist, 141 Broadway.

Connecticut—For Sale or To Let.

Near-by Connecticut, inland and shore front acreage. John Crawford, 7 E. 42d St., N. Y.

Real Estate for Exchange.

Lake front Summer resort farm, furnished residence, 10 rooms, bath; great fishing. Equity $6,500. What's offered? Slocum, 141 B'way.

Houses and lots exchanged for income property or acreage; fine income investments. Piquet, 354 Fulton St., Jamaica, L. I.

EXCHANGE YOUR NEW HAVEN STOCK for a fine house on the Hudson. Address Lawrence, 15 S. Main St., S. Norwalk, Conn.

Apartments to Let

Unfurnished.

Thirty cents a line.

West Side.

Unfurnished apartment, four rooms and 2 baths, could be divided into two apartments, two rooms each, southwestern exposure. Hotel Walton, 104 West 70th. Telephone 2934 Columbus.

52d St., 206 West, southeast corner Broadway. Five rooms, elevator, steam heat, and electric light; rental reasonable to desirable tenants. Apply on premises or to Wm. A. White & Sons, 62 Cedar St. Tel. John—5700.

7 WEST 103D ST.
Quiet, select block, near Central Park; six large rooms; tiled bath; all hardwood finish; large kitchen; one flight stairs; best heat and service; all improvements; rent, $35.00.

Sublet 4 rooms, all front; exceptional arrangement; elevator, all improvements. Superintendent, 400 Convent Av., northwest corner 147th.

159th and Broadway.—Five large room apartment; owner leaving city; low rate. Apply Superintendent. Rio Grande, 15 Fort Washington Av.

601 West 127th St.—Sublet five large rooms; elevator; $47.50. Apt. 38. Springer.

804 West 180th, corner Pinehurst Av.—High-class 7-room elevator apartments.

156th, 601 West, corner Broadway.—4-7-8 rooms, elevator; $42.50-$100.

East Side.

At 939 Madison Av., between 74th and 75th Sts., non-housekeeping apartments of one and two rooms and bath, with service, at very reasonable rentals. Apply on premises or to Wm. A. White & Sons, 62 Cedar St. Tel. 5700 John.

105 East 15th St.—High-class elevator apartment, 3 and 5 rooms, $35 to $75 per month. Agent on premises.

LEXINGTON AV., 581, near 51st.—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; steam heat. Plaza 2121.

755 Park Av., corner 72d St.
9 and 11 rooms, 3 baths, $3,500 to $5,500.

Madison Square apartments to lease.
40 East 26th St.

Bronx.

1,290 Fulton Av., (Corner 169th.)—High-class, six-room apartments; all improvements.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FORM OF CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, at 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 16th day of February, 1915, at twelve-fifteen o'clock P. M., upon the proposed terms and conditions of the contract for the construction of a railroad duct line for the Steinway Tunnel.

The work includes the construction of a duct line containing forty ducts to carry the cables for the operation of the Steinway Tunnel and extending from the Lexington Avenue subway at 44th Street and Lexington Avenue under 44th Street to First Avenue, under First Avenue to 42nd Street, and under 42nd Street to Shaft No. 2, between First Avenue and the East River.

Copies of the draft of said contract may be obtained at the said office of the said Public Service Commission for one dollar each.

Dated, New York, January 22, 1915.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.
By Edward E. McCall, Chairman.
Travis H. Whitney, Secretary.

Apartments to Let

Furnished.

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West Side.

A.—A.— THE WILSONIA,
225, 227, 229 West 69th St., near Broadway.
1 room, bath, $30; 2 rooms, bath, kitchenette, $45 up; 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, $55 up. Exceptionally clean apartments; no objectionable tenants. Phone and elevator service; maid service if desired; near Subway, "L," and surface cars.
REFERENCES ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL.
Superintendent on premises. Phone 9920 Columbus.

A.—A.—CATHEDRAL PLAZA,
100 Cathedral Parkway, 110th St., Col. Av.
SPECIALLY ATTRACTIVE 3 ROOMS,
with private bath and kitchenette, nicely furnished, $55 up monthly.
Complete outfit—Dishes, silver, cooking utensils. Special concessions on lease and unfurnished to October 1st.
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BACHELOR APARTMENTS, three rooms and bath, 59th St.; two rooms overlooking Cen. Pk.; one southern exposure; elevator entrance to same. W 60 Times.

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NATION-WIDE RISE IN COST OF BREAD

5-Cent Loaf Likely to Go to 6 Cents Here This Week, Says Bakers' Association Head.

SOARING FLOUR THE CAUSE

Embargo on Wheat Exports Advocated—Size of Loaf Will Be Reduced in Some Cities.

Inquiry among a number of the leading baking companies of the city yesterday indicated that a rise in the price of the ordinary five-cent loaf of white and rye bread to six cents was inevitable. The fact that flour had risen from $4.50 a barrel to from $7.50 to $7.80 since Aug. 1 was given as the cause, and, it was said, the price of rolls and most of the other bakery products would also be raised in proportion, rolls that formerly sold for ten cents a dozen selling for twelve cents.

There was a difference of opinion among the bakers whether there would be an increase in the price of ten-cent loaves of bread, some being of opinion that the present price would be maintained and the size of the loaves reduced and others expecting the price to go up to twelve cents.

Telegraphic reports received last night by THE TIMES from other large cities of the country indicated that the increased cost of bread would be nationwide, though in a number of cities the bakers anticipated no rise in the price of loaves, but expected to meet the increased cost of flour by reducing the size and weight of the loaves.

Speculation in grain as the result of the inflated values created by the demand for grain in Europe was given by many of the baking people interviewed yesterday as the reason for the rise in prices. Mrs. Julian Heath, President of the Housewives' League, was also of the opinion that speculation was to blame, and said that the only way to prevent the proposed increase, or to bring the price back to normal at an early date, would be for the Government to place an embargo on all but the surplus wheat in the country at present.

Mrs. Heath said that the Housewives' League had realized for some time that increased price of bread was inevitable and had been sending notice to its members to make no effort to combat the rise in price, as the bakers were not considered responsible, but to do all in their power to have the embargo placed on wheat.

Advocates Use of Corn Meal.

"The average housewife would do well to learn more of the use of cornmeal," Mrs. Heath went on. "The price of cornmeal has not gone up to any appreciable extent as yet, and, even though it did go up, it would remain a cheap and very nutritious food, and could be made to take the place of a part at least of the weekly bread supply needed by a family.

Hugo Fredericks, President of the Wholesale Bakers' Association, who is connected with the Rockwell Bakery at 429 East Seventy-fifth Street, said that a great many of the small New York bakeries would go to the wall if the price of bread was not raised, and said that the raise in price probably would become effective before the end of this week.

"I have been losing money steadily for three months," he said. "So has every baker in the city who has to depend on the sale of bread and rolls alone. Those who make pastries have been able to patch finances up a bit by making sharp advances in the price of pies, cakes, and other delicacies. We won't be making any profit with the price at six cents a loaf, even, and will be lucky if we break even. When the price does go up, moreover, there will be little chance of its getting back to normal for a long while, for if the war were to stop tomorrow it would be nearly two years before Europe would be producing grain on a large scale again and the wheat exports of this country would fall back to normal."

Mr. Fredericks also was of the opinion that the only hope for the bringing about of normal conditions lay in Government action. He said that he wrote to Secretary Redfield some time ago and received the reply that the Secretary did not think Congress would consider an embargo favorably "in view of the various interests that would be affected by such a course."

H. Taylor, Secretary of the Shults Bread Company, said that while his company had not yet decided definitely on any steps to meet the situation, it was practically certain that every big baking company in the city would fall in line with the plan to raise prices.

Big Bakeries Losing Money.

"The plan of reducing the size of the ordinary loaf of bread has been considered," he said, "but that probably would prove impracticable for several reasons. A smaller loaf would look more or less like nothing more than a large roll, in the first place. The average five-cent loaf of white bread weighs about 12 ounces, and is sold by the wholesale bakery at four cents.

The Ward Bread Company, it was learned on good authority, would probably follow the example of the smaller concerns in raising its prices.

William Steinmetz, President of the Master Bakers' Union, was another who stated that a rise in the retail price of bread was certain, and said that the members of the union stood solidly behind the plan.

The opinion expressed by several members of the Produce Exchange yesterday was that there was little or no chance of a fall in the price of wheat in the near future under the present conditions. Brokers were receiving large orders at exorbitant prices from the nations at war, it was said, and the fact that they are unable to find proper transportation is responsible for the piling up of large quantities of grain at the various seaports of the country.

Price Confusion in Chicago.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Great price confusion was caused in this city today by the effort of some bakeries to raise the price of their bread, with the result that by night there were five different prices for bread loaves and housewives were scurrying from one bakeshop to the next in search of bargains. As a consequence the Master Bakers' Association, which started the higher price movement here, instituted a campaign for more members so that the prices might become standardized. Many of the larger bakeries refused to fall in line with the movement and raise prices, and this action prevented many smaller competitors from raising prices for fear of losing trade.

One baker went to the other extreme and reduced his five-cent loaves to 4 cents "to show some people up," while a few raised their five-cent loaves to 6 cents and their ten-cent loaves to 12 cents. The National Bakers' Association predicted nationwide price raising on bread.

Cincinnati Wants Embargo.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 1.—The high cost of flour has already cut down the size of the five-cent loaf of bread here from 1 to 3 ounces, and the ten-cent loaf from 3 to 6 ounces. Local bakers are anxious for a Government embargo on grain exports to keep the situation from becoming worse.

Philadelphia Stands Pat.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—Prominent bakers here said today that they would retain the normal bread prices until present contracts for flour ran out.

Cleveland to Reduce Size.

Special to The New York Times.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Cleveland bakers today expressed themselves as opposed to raising the price of bread loaves, but intimated that the high cost of flour would make it necessary for them to reduce the size of their loaves.

Boston Expects Jump.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Bread prices here have not been raised yet, but bakers say it will soon be necessary to find some form of relief from the high price of flour.

Increase Movement in St. Louis.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 1.—A movement is on foot here to increase the bread price or reduce the size of loaves.

Denver Bakers Face Bankruptcy.

Special to The New York Times.

DENVER, Col., Feb. 1.—Many bakers in this city, it is reported, will face bankruptcy unless the price of bread is raised. Reports of a similar situation have been received from Duluth.

ROLLS ADVANCE IN NEWARK.

Retailers Jump Price from 10 to 12 Cents a Dozen.

All but one of the large wholesale bakeries in Newark raised the price of rolls from 8 to 10 cents a dozen yesterday, and the retailers, in turn, raised the price to consumers from 10 to 12 cents a dozen.

The bakery which did not raise its price is controlled by New York interests, and its manager said that he had not yet received orders to increase prices.

All the bakers are expected to raise the price of loaf bread from 5 to 6 cents.

AUERBACH FAMILY FUNERAL.

Mother's Body Sent to Old Home—Others Lie in Cypress Hills.

The funeral of Herman Auerbach and his wife and daughters, Beatrice and Daisy, whom he shot and killed just before committing suicide early Sunday morning at his home, at 386 Central Park West, was held yesterday afternoon. It had been intended to hold the services at Temple Ansche Chezed, Seventh Avenue and 114th Street, but fear of a large crowd of curious persons and objections to holding the funeral of a suicide in the temple led to the bodies being taken directly to Cypress Hills Cemetery, where brief services were conducted by Rabbi Katz of Temple Ansche Chezed.

Mr. Auerbach and his daughters were buried there, but the body of Mrs. Auerbach was sent to her old home, at Williamsport, Penn.

Lester Auerbach, the 14-year-old son, who was spared by his father, will make his home with his grandfather, David Auerbach, at 200 West 112th Street.

GIRL TRIES TO DIE IN SCHOOL

Drinks Laudanum Upon Learning of Failure in Chemistry.

Special to The New York Times.

MILLVILLE, N. J., Feb. 1.—In the assembly room of the High School, which was filled with students, Miss Grace Myers, 18 years old, drank laudanum in an attempt to commit suicide. She has been trying to graduate this year, that she might enter college, and had been taking extra work. When she read her averages and saw she had failed in chemistry, she drank the poison.

Physicians tonight say there is a chance that she may recover.

Gifford Trial Halts; Juror Ill.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—The trial of Malcolm Gifford, Jr., charged with killing Frank J. Clute, on April 1, 1913, was stopped today because of the illness of David Vanderbergh, a juror. A recess was taken until tomorrow morning.

DEFENDS SPECIAL COUNSEL.

Controller Favors Their Employment in Inheritance Tax Cases.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—In response to a resolution introduced by Assemblyman Hamilton Fish, Jr., Controller Travis tonight sent a communication to the Legislature giving the names of special counsel appointed by the Controller's office in the last two years to look after the interests of the State in connection with the levying of the inheritance tax upon large estates.

Here is the complete list of special counsel appointed in 1912 and 1913, as given by the Controller in his communication to the Legislature, and what was paid for services, omitting the cents:

Estate.	Counsel Designated.	Tax Paid.	Paid for S'v'cs of Special Counsel.
J. J. Astor;	John Quinn	$3,110,918.36	$23,849
A. N. Brady;	E. L. Richards	2,505,676.49	19,310
B. Altman;	G. E. Weller	581,077.67	9,216
R. T. Wilson;	E. L. Parodi	637,406.58	4,157
T. E. Crimmins;	J. A. Blanchfield	23,299.13	1,250
J. Pulitzer;	W. L. Stout	410,860.16	15,500
S. Sanford;	W. R. Roche	547,514.16	7,000
J. S. Barnes;	G. H. Engel	57,538.21	1,200
J. U. Brookman;	W. L. Morse	409,105.61	*5,500
J. P. Morgan;	G. J. Gillespie	†2,500,000.00	......

*On account. †Appraisal not completed.

In the Fish resolution a statement which had appeared in the newspapers was repeated to the effect that the fee to be paid to Francis A. Winslow, former District Attorney of Westchester, who had been appointed special counsel in connection with the appraisal of the Wendel estate, would be from $50,000 to $70,000.

Controller Travis asserts that no fee of such magnitude will be countenanced by him while he is Controller. He points to the figures as showing that in the appraisal of the two largest estates, the special counsel received less than 1 per cent. of the tax collected, and that the fees in no instance exceeded 5 2-3 per cent. The Controller in his communication says in part:

"On Jan. 1, 1915, the number of cases pending before the appraisers in New York County alone was 2,122, besides over 200 appeals pending before the Surrogate or in the higher courts.

"The total amount of tax collected in the foregoing estates (exclusive of the Morgan estate, which is unsettled and in which no fee has been paid) was $8,283,396.37; the total fees paid the attorneys for their services in these cases were $86,982.70, or an average percentage of 1 1-20. This is much less than mercantile fees for collection in non-contested cases.

"It is the judgment of the Controller that the policy of the department in assigning special counsel in such cases is for the best interests of the State, and from the results I do not believe that the figures above set forth will indicate to your honorable body the necessity of legislation regulating the fees of special counsel."

FIGHT MISS SCHEFF'S PLEA.

Creditor Says She Pawned Gems Before Going Into Bankruptcy.

According to an affidavit filed in the United States District Court yesterday by Milton Wolf, President of the millinery firm of Joseph, Incorporated, of 632 Fifth Avenue, Fritzi Scheff, the musical comedy star, pawned $40,000 worth of jewelry a year ago, and then turned $14,000 worth of pawn tickets over to Charles Dillingham, the theatrical manager, before filing a petition in bankruptcy. The affidavit was filed in opposition to an application of Miss Scheff to be released from bankruptcy.

UNIONS TO AID CONVICTS.

Will Direct Prison Industries by Warden Osborne's Plan.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—Warden Osborne contemplates a radical change in the management of Sing Sing Prison. It would involve the systematization of prison industries by representatives of the labor unions. Mr. Osborne had a talk with Gov. Whitman about the plan this afternoon. It is understood that the Governor took very kindly to the suggestion.

The plan contemplates the virtual reorganization of prison industries for educational purposes, in order to fit the convicts to face the world after their prison terms. Representatives of the American Federation of Labor already have visited Sing Sing and expressed their willingness to undertake the work.

It was said here tonight that Warden Osborne could assure Gov. Whitman that the plan would have the support of that organization and that its officers had promised to take an interest in the prisoners after their release.

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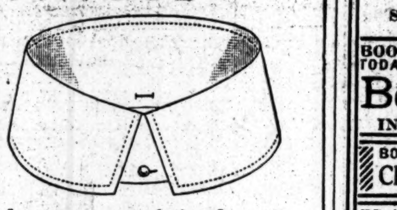

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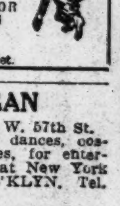

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